

"FIGHT LEFT YET"—DALTON

HENDERSON BATTLE IS FEELS AXE WAGED 4 DAYS

Mayor McCarthy Drops Official
From San Francisco Police
Commission

Failure to Attend to Business
Is Given as the Reason
in Letter

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—Secretly, without ostentation, and without any attempt at opposition, Mayor P. H. McCarthy on Thursday removed from office Police Commissioner Percy L. Henderson. Although the letter of the executive to the commissioner notifying him of his removal is courteous in the extreme and makes no special charges, it is known that Henderson and the mayor have not pulled together for some time.

Certain of the police official's decisions on the board and his conduct toward the administration are said to lie at the bottom of his removal. The reason given by Mayor McCarthy, however, in dispensing with the services of Henderson, is that the latter has too much private business properly to attend to his duties as a city official, and, says the mayor, "I deem it to be my duty at this time to remove you from office and to declare your position as police commissioner vacant."

DIFFERENCES ARISE.

Henderson has been a member of the board almost ever since McCarthy took office and it is understood that it was not until recently that differences arose between the executive and his appointee.

Max Goldberg, a member of the board of fire commissioners, resigned this office this morning, and was appointed to the vacancy on the board of police commissioners. The position on the fire board was promptly filled by the mayor, appointing L. D. Batchelor of 318 Capp street, superintendent of McNab & Smith, and one of the best known draymen in the state.

Henderson's ideas on the subject of his removal could not be obtained this morning, but the mayor's letter to the commissioner follows:

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 18, 1911.—Hon. Percy L. Henderson:

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Cheer Up, Today Is Not The 'Hottest Ever' Here

It Is Dry Day, Yes, but Prof.
Burkhalter Says He Has
Known Drier.

According to Professor Charles Burkhalter, astronomer at Chabot observatory, the temperature at 1:20 this afternoon was 83, the relative humidity being very low, only 31 per cent. The highest temperature yesterday was 78.

Professor Burkhalter stated that the warm weather of today was nothing unusual, and although there is a dry north wind, Oakland has had others that were drier.

3,000,000 Gallons of Beer 3 Days' Record in Chicago

CHICAGO, May 20.—Three million gallons of beer, it is said, have been consumed by Chicagoans during the excessive heat of the last three days. This is nearly one-half gallon daily for every man, woman and child in the city. No other city in the world, not even Berlin, it is said, can show such a beer-drinking record. About one-half of the population does not drink beer, it remained for the other half to use four quarts a day each. There are more than 7000 saloons in the city. Ordinarily the consumption of beer is three barrels a day to each saloon. This indicates that in average weather the city consumes about 675,000 gallons of beer a day. With the hot wave, however, there has been a big increase, and the total sale has been more than 3,000,000 barrels a day. Figuring thirty-two gallons to the barrel, it amounts to about 1,000,000 gallons daily that has gone down the throats of Chicago beer drinkers.

\$50,000,000 Available for Chinese Railroad Building

PEKING, May 20.—The Hu Kwang loan for the construction of railways in the provinces of Hunan and Hupui was signed here today by the representatives of the American, British, French and German group of bankers. Besides providing for the original amount of \$30,000,000, provision is made in the agreement for an extra \$20,000,000 should that additional sum be needed for the completion of the project.

Bankers here are of the opinion that the loan is the most important financial transaction ever signed in China. It provides for the construction of 12,000 miles in Hunan and Hupui and the loan is secured by the revenues of those provinces, which, in case of default, may be administered by the marine customs.

Federal Garrison Forced Out of
Cuautla After Protracted
Engagement

Rebels Rush to Assault With
Great Bravery and Leave
100 Men on Field

CUERNAVACA, Mex., Friday, May 20.—The federal garrison under Colonel Mingula yesterday was forced to evacuate Cuautla, twenty miles southeast of here, after a fierce four days' battle with a force of rebels commanded by Colonel Zapa. The federals retreated to this city, where they arrived tonight. The rebels showed great bravery and are said to have lost over 100 men killed and wounded.

The rebels repeatedly attacked the federal defense and eventually the government troops, unable from weariness and loss of sleep to withstand the assaults longer, retired from Cuautla, making their escape through a viaduct. The federal loss was 18 killed. The rebels used dynamite bombs with which they blew up many of the principal buildings. The insurgents are under the command of Colonel Zata, and it is feared he will follow up his advantage and march upon Cuernavaca. Orders have been issued to strengthen the fortifications in the streets here.

Cuautla was surrounded last Saturday. The rebel demand that the garrison surrender being refused, the attack began Sunday. The federals were in strong positions commanding the street approaches and in the repeated furious assaults the rebels lost heavily before they were finally successful in dislodging the federals.

Governor Bonilla Bears News of the Armistice to South

NOGALES, Sonora, Mex., May 20.—Bonilla, the provisional governor of Sonora, arrived here today as a special en-

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W. F. Kelly Joins Water Co. Directorate

Former General Manager of the
Traction Company Is Ap-
pointed to Position.

W. F. Kelly, formerly general manager of the Oakland Traction Company and the Key Route system, has been appointed director of the Peoples Water Company of which Frank C. Havens is president. The board of directors chose Kelly to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of George N. O'Brien, of Berkeley.

Kelly will soon take up active work in the office of the company, but what his exact duties will be has not been given out.

DROP LOWER COURT CHARGE OFFICIAL HIDES FROM CROWD

The indicted County Assessor, HENRY P. DALTON, sitting in his handsomely furnished private office at the county courthouse, as photographed today by a TRIBUNE artist. The office walls are adorned with several oil paintings, one of which has been replaced in the picture below by a portrait of Samuel P. Eastman, vice-president of the Spring Valley Water Company, the principal accuser of Dalton.



BLUE LAWS ARE FAVORED FOR SABBATH

Newspapers, Hot Meals
and Golf on Taboo
List of Church

ATLANTIC CITY, May 20.—The report of the committee on Sabbath observance with stringent recommendations aroused an animated discussion today in the Presbyterian general assembly. Many ministers opposed what they called an attempt to go backward two centuries and impose a real old "blue law Sabbath" on the twentieth century. The barring of traveling on Sunday, buying things because you happened to want them even if they were necessary and having no hot meals so your servants could rest, was declared to be absurd and the assembly was urged to ignore such "trivial" matters.

REST FOR STUDENTS.

Among the resolutions embodied in the report was one that college presidents and faculties be required to abolish Monday morning recitations so that students would not have to study on Sunday. It was decided to organize Sabbath observance committees in each Presbytery to co-operate with similar committees from other denominations and with state

JOHN E. BEHAN, secretary of the Spring Valley Company, who testified before the Grand Jury against Dalton, and a facsimile of a part of one of the indictments.

and national organizations in preserving the sanctity of the Lord's day. Public officials are urged in another resolution to do their full duty in enforcing Sunday closing laws and Sunday.

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REFRESHING SLEEP
Hofford's Acid Phosphate
Half a teaspoonful in glass of water
retiring induces restful sleep.

HOT! WELL, SOME BUT TAFT IS COOL

Gets Comfort From Ton
of Ice; Congress
Sweaters

WASHINGTON, May 20.—President Taft is not worrying about the date of adjournment.

While Washington is blazing with the thermometer around the 100 mark, the president's office shows a temperature of about 80.

The president sits over a ton of ice each day, for the White House refrigerating plant is just beneath his desk. The cool air is forced into the room by fans.

If it comes to a struggle between congress and the president, Mr. Taft will have an aid in the hot weather.

The capital is a hot spot, and even the aid of lemonade and iced carbonated water does not offset the advantage of twenty degrees difference in temperature.

The senate was not in session today. The house convened for a short time in the morning, despite the heat.

INDICTMENTS ANNOY; NOT OVERWHELMING, SAYS ACCUSED MAN

District Attorney Donahue Is
Ready to Proceed at Once
With Trial of Bribery Case
MAY BE ARRAIGNED ON TUESDAY

'NOT INSURMOUNTABLE'

By Henry P. Dalton

There is as much fight in me as ever. The indictments that have been returned against me are annoying, but not insurmountable. On account of my political prominence in Alameda county I suppose I have as many enemies as any man; on the other hand I have as many friends as anybody.

While my enemies seem to think that this is a good time to give me a parting kick, hosts of my friends have come to the front and say they will stand by me to the bitter end, and until I am vindicated before the people.

With reference to the people at large I have only to repeat that I hope they will withhold their judgment until I shall have been proven guilty or innocent of these malicious charges that have been brought against me by a competent court.

I am not at this time ready to announce who will handle my defense at the trial, but will do so at such time as I think advisable.

"The people are ready to go to trial at any time now in the cases against Henry P. Dalton," declared District Attorney William H. Donahue today. "We are gathering up the odds and ends of the prosecution in order to have clear sailing when the County Assessor is called up for arraignment Tuesday in the criminal department of the Superior Court on the two indictments returned against him last evening by the Grand Jury."

"I will have personal charge of the prosecution and will be assisted by Assistant District Attorney W. H. L. Hynes. This office hopes for and expects a speedy disposition of these cases, as was had in these against Delancey. Only about five months were consumed in the latter instance."

Six Go on Bonds of the Accused Official

The men who qualified as bondsmen in the sum of \$40,000 for County Assessor Henry P. Dalton of Alameda county are:

Louis Schaffer, ex-councilman and livery stable owner.

E. A. Young, president of the Merchants' Association.

Henry Meyer, retired grocer and capitalist.

Emmanuel George, wholesale leather merchant and one of Dalton's field deputies.

John O'Keefe, bookkeeper in the office of the assessor.

H. S. Osgood, druggist.

E. A. Young is the only one of the bondsmen who was a surety for Dalton on the first bond deposited at 12:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Those who were on his bonds yesterday but withdrew, are:

Henry N. Dalton, father of the accused.

Frank N. Dalton, brother of the official.

Webb N. Pierce, cashier Enquirer Publishing Company.

Kaiser in the Role Of Plain Tourist

LONDON, May 20.—Emperor William, Empress Augusta and Princess Victoria Louise left London today to rejoin the German imperial yacht at Sheerness, from which port they will depart for home tomorrow. The imperial visitors spent the week here more like tourists than members of royalty, having devoted all their spare time to sightseeing. Big crowds gave the emperor and empress a hearty send-off.

"All of the testimony taken by the grand jury yesterday will be used as evidence against Dalton, together with such other features that we are holding in reserve. The testimony taken by the grand jury at previous sittings, bearing upon Dalton's official transactions and the conduct of his office, stands as evidence against him, where it is incriminating, but I am not prepared to say whether or not we will inject any of it into the prosecution that has been inaugurated by the grand jury indictments just returned."

"I have been too busy looking after the cases in hand to give any serious consideration to other angles of the county assessor's official conduct, and as to his handling of the assessments of other corporations for personal gain, that is a matter to which I have not been able to direct much of my attention as yet. Whether the probe will go deeper remains for future developments to decide."

District Attorney William H. Donahue gave the above interview this morning in connection with the prosecution of County Assessor Henry P. Dalton for soliciting bribery and accepting a bribe of \$5000 from the Spring Valley Water Company of San Francisco.

He said that in the absence of Judge William S. Wells, on account of illness, Judge William H. Waste, who received the indictments against Dalton last evening from the hands of F. W. Searby, foreman of the grand jury, when the inquisitorial body reported, would probably preside at the arraignment of the county assessor. "Whether this proceeding will take place Tuesday morning or later in the criminal department of the Superior Court, the district attorney's office is as yet unable to state positively, but it was given out by Donahue that in all probability the arraignment would occur Tuesday morning."

When Clerk L. A. Rudolph of the criminal department of the Superior Court reached the office of the County Clerk this forenoon he entered the two

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INFERIOR COURT REPORTS CHARGE

DALTON HIDES FROM CROWD OF CURIOUS

Indictments Become Part of Public Record; Case to Proceed Fast

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against County Assessor Dalton in the "Register of Criminal Actions," as follows:

"No. of cause, 5007. Department 5. Nature of action: Asking for and receiving a bribe.

"May 19, 1911—Indictment filed.

"May 19, 1911—Bench warrant issued. Ball in sum of \$25,000.

"No. of cause, 5008. Department 5. Nature of action: Asking for and agreeing to accept a bribe.

"May 19, 1911—Indictment filed.

"May 19, 1911—Bench warrant issued. Ball in sum of \$15,000."

Two Indictments

The indictments against Dalton were returned by the Grand Jury to Judge Waste last evening at 5 o'clock. Dalton was in his office when the indictments were returned. He was immediately notified by the court clerk and fled into the courtroom and when Judge Waste ordered a bench warrant to issue for the arrest of the accused official he was ready to surrender himself.

The warrant was delivered to Under Sheriff J. J. Hanlin, Jr., who served it upon Dalton. The latter was allowed to remain in his office while attorneys Edward E. Gehring and Burton J. Wyman of counsel for the accused man got in touch with their client's bondsmen. Within an hour these details were arranged and Dalton was on his way home.

The total bonds upon which Dalton was released amounted to \$40,000. One bond was for \$25,000 with Louis Schaffer, former chief of police of Oakland; E. A. Young, a butcher, former president of the Merchants' Exchange, and Fred S. Osgood, druggist, as sureties, and covered the indictment for "asking for and receiving a bribe." The other was for \$15,000, covering the indictment for "asking for and agreeing to accept a bribe." The latter was covered by E. A. Young, a butcher, former president of the Merchants' Exchange, and Fred S. Osgood, druggist, as sureties, and covered the indictment for "asking for and agreeing to accept a bribe."

Bondsmen Qualify

The bondsmen qualified before Superior Judge Frank B. Ogden and following this formality the bonds were approved and the liberation of the prisoner ordered. Dalton, before leaving the court house, Dalton laughed and joked with Under Sheriff Hanlin and a few of his faithful deputies who remained in his office to see the culmination of the most sensational day that has occurred in county affairs in many years.

A notable feature in the qualification of new bondsmen was the elimination from the list of sureties of the name of Webb N. Pierce, secretary and cashier of the Enquirer Publishing Company. He was on Dalton's original bond of \$25,000, together with Henry N. and Frank N. Dalton and E. A. Young, and all of these sureties with the exception of Young retired when the new bonds were given.

Lawyers Withdraw

It was announced yesterday that Attorneys Fitzgerald and Abbott would be Dalton's leading counsel, but last night this firm issued a statement that in view of the fact that criminal practice was not within the range of its legal business it would not take an active part in the defense of Dalton. Dalton, however, that his firm would act in an advisory capacity for the County Assessor, who, in all probability, would engage the services of some eminent criminal lawyer to handle his trial. Attorneys Gehring and Wyman will assist in the defense, no matter who is associated, but the heavy work of the trial will devolve upon some other lawyer.

Dalton has not indicated in any way what his line of defense will be. That he will plead not guilty to both indictments and stand trial as far as his present program is made up. He will be furnished with a transcript of the testimony taken by the Grand Jury yesterday and from this his counsel will build the defense.

Eastman Testifies

Probably the most sensational testimony given before the Grand Jury was that of S. P. Eastman, vice-president and general manager of the Spring Valley Water Company, who was the last important witness to be examined before the indictments were returned by the inquisitorial body.

Eastman related to the jury how, under instructions of the executive committee of his corporation, he had laid Dalton's alleged offer to accept a bribe from the company before District Attorney Donahue, through the Spring Valley's legal department. The witness also testified that under instructions from Donahue he corresponded with Dalton and arranged for the payment of the first installment

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of the \$25,000 bribe, subsequently meeting Dalton in San Francisco on two occasions to settle the details of the delivery of the \$5000.

At the last conference, Eastman told the Grand Jurors, Dalton arranged to meet him at Barnum's restaurant in Oakland at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon and there receive the initial bribe. There was to be another payment of \$7500 to Dalton on July 1, after the reduced assessments had successfully passed the Board of Supervisors, sitting as a board of equalization, and the remaining \$12,500 were to be paid in future installments.

Money Is Passed

Eastman then detailed to the inquirers how, in accordance with instructions from District Attorney Donahue, he met Dalton at Barnum's restaurant, Broadway and Seventh street, at the appointed time. He said he and the county assessor had a drink of wine together, after which he (Eastman) passed to Dalton the money. Little, if anything, was said during or immediately following the transaction. Eastman and Dalton rose from their chairs simultaneously and left the restaurant through the entrance at the corner of Broadway.

On the street Eastman gave the signal to District Attorney Donahue, who was watching from the opposite side of the street. Donahue, in turn, signaled Detective George J. Helms, of his office, and St. Clair Hodgkins, of the Oakland police department, and they stepped up and placed Dalton under arrest. The prisoner was then searched and the bundle of marked money, etc., taken away from him.

Waiter Called

D. Zavattaro, the waiter who served Eastman and Dalton with wine, followed the Spring Valley official as a witness. He identified Eastman as one of the men he had served.

The last two witnesses to be examined were Detectives Helms and Hodgkins. They explained how they had arrested Dalton. Hodgkins said he put his hand into the county assessor's inside coat pocket and got a wallet of letters, some of which were communications written to Dalton by Eastman of District Attorney Donahue's orders.

"Dalton then attempted to pocket his pocket," said Hodgkins, "but again I thrust my hand into his pocket. This time I got five bundles of bills and passed them to the district attorney."

At this juncture the district attorney interrupted Hodgkins and explained to the jury what happened next.

"Where did you get this money, Henry?" I asked Dalton, "said the district attorney, "to which he replied, "It's my money and you have no right to ask me."

\$5000 He Said

Donahue said he then asked Dalton how much money was in the bundle.

"Five thousand dollars," Dalton replied.

Donahue then showed Dalton the marks on the money and then asked from whom he had received it. Dalton became angry and then followed a lot of talk between Donahue and Dalton about his conferences and correspondence with Eastman as the party went to the district attorney's office.

It was at the close of this explanation that the district attorney submitted the case to the grand jury. Fifteen minutes later the indictments were returned.

Charge of Bribery in Inferior Court Is Dismissed Today

The felony charge of bribery placed against County Assessor Henry P. Dalton in the inferior court yesterday was dismissed by Judge Aaron Turner, sitting for Judge George Samuels in department No. 3 of the police court this morning. The motion of Prosecuting Attorney William J. Hennessey for the district attorney's office, Dalton appeared in court but a moment, flanked by his attorneys, and immediately upon the dismissal of the case, left the city hall.

The look of confidence and the smile with which the accused county official greeted his friends yesterday was gone this morning. He looked neither to left nor right as he entered the city hall this morning and his face wore a set expression, as if it was with difficulty that he kept his features from lapsing into lines that would mirror forth anxiety, weariness and fear.

He was attended by Attorneys Burt Wyman and E. E. Gehring, and to avoid the sensation-hunting crowd that faced him in the crowded courtroom yesterday morning, he took refuge in the hall's room adjoining police court No. 2.

The crowd he feared was not present, however, as few anticipated that he would appear in person this morning. The courtroom contained but the usual number of lobby loafers, and a few people interested in various cases on the calendar.

DALETON IN ROOM.

Dalton's case appeared on the court calendar about half way down the page, and he waited in the hall's room, while his attorneys remained in court to be ready at the calling of the bribery case.

It is the custom in a felony charge for the accused to undergo a preliminary examination before the police court mag-

What Was Done Today in The Dalton Bribery Case

Two indictments returned last evening against Henry P. Dalton are filed and become official record.

Inferior court dismisses charge of bribery placed against the assessor when first arrested.

Dalton hides in bailiff's room from crowd of curious in the courtroom.

District Attorney William H. Donahue declares the State is ready to proceed against the official at once.

Accused man will probably be arraigned Tuesday, with Judge W. H. Waste presiding.

District Attorney says that all evidence obtained before the Grand Jury yesterday will be used against Dalton.

Donahue also declares other matters are being held in reserve to be used against official.

istrate before being bound over for trial in the superior court, and in such a case a prima facie case must be made out before the holding magistrate.

Where the grand jury acts, however, the case goes direct to the superior court for trial, and it is not essential that so complete a case must be made out by the prosecution prior to the actual trial.

ASSESSOR NERVOUS.

When the name of the well-known politician was called by Clerk of the Court Ed Talbot, Attorney Wyman hastened to the bailiff's room and returned with Dalton. The assessor was even more nervous than when he had first entered the city hall this morning, the minutes of waiting having proved a painful interval.

As soon as he was before the court, Attorney Wyman commenced his motion for a dismissal.

"If your honor please," he began, "we would like to ask for a dismissal."

"Hold on, hold on. Don't be in such a hurry," broke in Prosecuting Attorney William J. Hennessey. "This case is not properly before the court as it has not been called in the defendant's presence. The case must be handled regularly."

CASE IS CALLED.

"Henry P. Dalton, charged with bribery, for arraignment," called Clerk Talbot.

Before Wyman could again interpose, Hennessey moved that Mervyn Magnus, in accordance with the usual proceedings, be appointed court stenographer. This was done and Magnus sworn in.

Attorney Wyman was evidently waiting under the necessity of calling through the formalities and again commenced his motion for dismissal.

"In that matter, your honor," he said, "we would ask that the charge against the defendant be dismissed in view of the fact that indictments covering the same offense have been brought by the grand jury. I would ask that the case be dismissed on this motion with the consent of the district attorney."

HENNESSEY CONCURS.

"It would have been preferable that that motion should have come from the prosecution," declared Deputy District Attorney Hennessey. "The action was started by the district attorney's office, and the change in the order of procedure occasioned by our action. The dismissal here should therefore come on our motion. I concur in the motion."

"On the motion of the district attorney, the case may be dismissed," ordered Judge Aaron Turner.

Without a word at his attorneys left the courtroom as they had entered it. Dalton had remained silent during the entire visit to the city hall and there was hardly a change of expression in his face or a flash of his eye to indicate that he was paying attention to the proceedings. His face remained set in hard lines, far from the usual pleasant expression that has been one of the greatest assets of this man in making friends and causing people to adhere to his cause.

A statement was made in a San Francisco paper recently that Henry P. Dalton, county assessor, has been receiving gas and electric power free from the Oakland Gas Light & Heat Company. This statement is untrue. Dalton has always paid the full price charged by the company for his electric light and gas, the company giving him no more consideration than any other customer.

Indictments Against Accused Assessor Practically Same

The two indictments against Dalton are essentially the same and relate to the same crime, the only difference between them being that one is based on Dalton's offer to Behan, while the other relates to his actual acceptance of the money from Eastman. The latter reads:

"That on or about the State of California, in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, the said Henry P. Dalton is accused by the Grand Jury of the County of Alameda, by this indictment, of the crime of felony, to-wit, asking and receiving a bribe, committed as follows:

"That said Henry P. Dalton, at all times in this indictment mentioned, was and is a duly elected and acting assessor of the County of Alameda, in the State of California, and that, as such assessor, it was his duty to assess real and personal property situated and located in the County of Alameda, in the State of California, for the purpose of taxation; and that said Henry P. Dalton did, then and there, to-wit, on the said day of May, A. D. 1911, and prior to the time of finding this indictment, unlawfully, feloniously and corruptly ask and receive from one S. P. Eastman, who was then and there acting for and on behalf of the Spring Valley Water Company (a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, and having its place of principal business in the City and County of San Francisco, Cal.), and which said corporation then and there owned real and personal property situated and located in said County of Alameda, subject to assessment and taxation in said County of Alameda, a bribe, to-wit, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), in lawful money of the United States of America, of the value of five thousand dollars (\$5000), upon the agreement and understanding between the said S. P. Eastman and the said S. P. Eastman,

who was, then and there, acting for and on behalf of the Spring Valley Water Company, said corporation, that his, the said Henry P. Dalton's, opinion and action, as such assessor of Alameda County, upon a matter then pending and which might be, and which was, brought before him in his official capacity as such assessor, should be influenced by the said S. P. Eastman, and that the said Henry P. Dalton, as such assessor, should be influenced thereby; that the said sum of \$5000 aforesaid was asked and received by the said Henry P. Dalton from the said S. P. Eastman, acting for and on behalf of the said Spring Valley Water Company, said corporation, as aforesaid, upon the said 18th day of May, A. D. 1911, at the said County of Alameda, State of California, upon the agreement and understanding that the amount of the assessment of and on the assessable property of the said Spring Valley Water Company, said corporation, situated and located in the said County of Alameda, should, and would, be increased by the said Henry P. Dalton, as such assessor, for the fiscal year 1911-1912, contrary to the form, force and effect of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the duty of the said Henry P. Dalton, as such assessor, of the people of the State of California.

WILLIAM H. DONAHUE, District Attorney of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Who Will Succeed Dalton if Office Is Declared Vacant?

There has arisen the question as to who will succeed Dalton in the event that he should be found guilty of the charges made against him or should resign.

In either of those contingencies the successor would be appointed by the board of supervisors, and there is no doubt that the best man would be chosen for the position by the board.

Among these may be mentioned former county recorder, John Mott, who did more than any other man in the county, when he was a member of the legislature, two years ago, to show how Dalton was really drawing from the taxpayers of the county the largest salary paid to an county official in the state.

Mott arraigned Dalton at a meeting of the Alameda county delegation in the legislature at Sacramento and caused the legislature to pass a resolution that Dalton should be removed from his office as assessor, as his salary, \$21,000, whereas, it was claimed that his revenue really ranged from that amount to as much as \$27,000. In the meantime, Dalton's salary would be more than five times and, in the latter, nearly seven times as much as that of any other official of the county.

As a consequence of Mott's showing, Dalton resigned his office, and a year and that is practically almost double that of any other office of the county.

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voys from Francisco, I. Madero and proceeded southward toward Hermosillo to notify the revolutionists that an armistice had been proclaimed. The train sent out yesterday over the Southern Pacific railway got only as far as Querobabi, 175 kilometers south of here, and Boni-A may not be able to reach Hermosillo.

Manuel Mazareras, provisional vice governor of Sonora, arrived here today from the American side of the line and asked for permission to send an envoy to notify the rebel bands near Nogales of the armistice.

He had a stormy session with General Obregon, commander of the carlson, but the latter eventually gave permission for the dispatching of a courier.

Five hundred rebels of Juan Cabral's army are at Santa Cruz, eighteen miles south of Nogales.

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"My supreme desire at the present moment," said the former secretary of war, "is that by concentrating the various factions and arriving at agreements between the revolutionists and the government which demands above all else supreme sacrifices on both sides, there may be established a peace, but not a peace which for the lack of the binding character of the dynamic, prove full of dangers for the future, even to the point of threatening us with anarchy."

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CLEVER STAR'S HOBBY IS REALTY

Worked Hard to Obtain High Stage Position; Oakland Likes Him.

On the great prairie one dark night, "Cowboy Jack" sat in the saddle, nodding as he half slept, one eye open and on the restless cattle.

Over in the west a storm glowered, dark clouds obscured the moon and unseen hands set the stage for the climax scene from "Inferno Cut Loose."

Suddenly the sky was cleft by a vivid, jagged streak of light. A clap of thunder followed. "Cowboy Jack's" other eye opened.

There was a snort from a nearby steer; a bellow from another, that was taken up by hundreds until it became a mighty roar.

A second crash from the heavens and every piece of future cold-storage beef was on its feet, nostrils quivering, tails lashing and muscles set for a marathon.

Bang! The thunder hit the ground and bounded back for another try. Dr-r-r-rash! It dropped again.

MAD RUSH BEGINS.

A bellow of rage from the leading men of the cow company was a cue for the aggregation and in a second there was a mad rush for exits.

"Cowboy Jack," both eyes open now, took in the situation at a glance; perhaps it was two glances. At any rate he mastered the situation.

Did terror still his heart? A physician's diagnosis says no.

And his muscles; were they bound by the awful horror of the thing? It's not on record.

Was he stricken dumb? History has naught of that.

His mind was working like a pile-driver run amuck. To rush in front of that maddened, moving mass of mammoths would have meant suicide, and he so young!

He didn't rush. Instead—

As suddenly as the stampede began it ended. The bell-cow stopped and stood stock still. The rest of the stock stilled. Their ears were hoisted high. Their faces wore a rapt expression. They were listening.

BELL-LIKE NOTES.

Clear as a bell, cutting through the night air as the knife cleaved butter yesterday, came the sweet, clear notes of a youthful tenor. "The Star-

WHAT ARE YOU DOING For the Old People?

It may be your father, your mother, your grandfather, or your grandmother who is very dear to you, but it is sad to see them lose their interest in life because their strength is fast ebbing away and they seem doomed to the weak, feeble and decrepit condition of the aged.

Now is the time for you to come to their assistance.

Call at our store and get a bottle of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, without oil, and see what a change it will make in your dear ones.

A case is recorded in Litchfield, Ill., of a man 72 years of age who seemed to be getting old and feeble, suffered from indigestion and a nervous trouble. His druggist asked him to try Vinol at his risk. He did and says he is better and feels younger than he has for fifteen years.

We wish every feeble aged person would try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that their money will be returned if it does not give perfect satisfaction. The Owl Drug Co., Oakland, Cal.

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Your inquiry is invited.

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ARTHUR DEAGON, who has won fame as one of the great comedians on the American stage.

Spangled Banner" rang out, strong and true.

The cattle, their savage breasts soothed by the proverbial charm, composed themselves and listened contentedly as the thunder bombarded the banner and the lightning played hide-and-seek with the bars.

The night was saved.

Ditto the cattle.

And "Cowboy Jack?" Why bury a hero under an alias? Drag him forth that the morning light may show him to a cheering multitude.

OUR OLD FRIEND.

"Cowboy Jack," ladies and gentlemen. He of the gladsome ways, leader of the joy-band and enemy of the glooms. "Cowboy Jack" no longer, Arthur Deagon, if you please, purveyor of happiness at the Oakland Orpheum, who is nearing the end of a two-weeks' stay that won him the plaudits of thousands and the friendship of as many as that.

The story is true. Deagon says it is. A barker for a Chicago museum told him it was away back in the '90s. That was when Deagon, a youth, came from the logging camps of Canada, with hair to his shoulders, a stiff hat and a timid expression.

He wanted to get into the show business as had his brother before him, so "Cap" White took him on at \$10 a week, ten hours a day. They stuck cowboy headgear on his summit and he sang hymns, surrounded by "Fat Emma," some trained pigs and the leanest man in captivity.

AWED THE THRONG.

In the meanwhile the barker awed the assembled throng with the harrowing tale of how "Cowboy Jack" stopped the stampede on that memorable night when etc., etc., ad infinitum.

Arthur Deagon worked hard to attain the eminence he has surmounted in the theatrical world. From the museum he went with his brother and sister-in-law touring as "The Three Dragons" in a flying trapeze act. A short stay with a comic operatic company followed, after which he landed in a stock company in a Wisconsin town.

In 1892 he landed in New York, where Paul Steindorff quickly singled him out as worthy of more than a passing hearing. Steindorff was directing a production of "The Isle of

Champagne" with Thomas Q. Seabrook, and he found a place for Deagon as understudy. Before the year was out he had played every male part in the cast.

IN FAMOUS COMEDY.

A season or two with "The Rain-Makers" and Ward Vokes is next in Deagon's theatrical history, after which he played in Hoyt's "A Black Sheep." Joseph O'Mara's part in "The Belle of New York" was next assigned him and it was, with this company that he first played at the Macdonough theater in Oakland.

Three years in succession he came west with the Belle and his reputation was so well established that he was sought out for one of the star parts in the original "King Dodo" outfit.

And then he registered one of his greatest hits when he created the nation-famous janitor in "Peggy from Paris." For five years he delighted his audiences with the character, winning praise from coast to coast.

ORIGINAL ARTIE BOY.

The original Artie boy, George Ade's character, was made a reality by Deagon in "Peggy from Paris." After this he was with "The Time, the Place and the Girl" for two seasons, playing the west both years. The comedy lead with the "Follies of 1908-09-10-11" fell to his portion next.

A refractory appendix spoiled his plans, just as he was about to go out with Genee. Deagon was laid up for some weeks and when his physician bade him begone it was too late in the season to get after the "legit." Vaudeville was left, however, and the Orpheum people eagerly signed him up.

GETS STUFF OVER.

Deagon "got his stuff over" from the first night he laughed at a variety audience, and he maintained the lead he set, as Oakland will testify. He is versatile, with a fund of genius on hand. He sings and dances, jokes and tells stories in his own inimitable way. Handicaps on the side are easy for him, despite his generous build and his 38 years.

His hobby? Yes, he has one; four, to be accurate—his wife, his children, saving money and real estate.

Deagon, acting on the advice of his uncle, Arthur Harris, of the Oakland Central bank, and on his own observation and intuition, has invested in Oakland during his stay here and declares he will get deeper into the realty game before very long. His one great ambition is to buy a few acres somewhere near this city, where he can set out walnut and eucalyptus turn the place over to someone until he is ready to give up the stage and settle down.

WILL BE OLDER.

"When that time comes," says Deagon, "the trees and I will be older, and I'll bring Mrs. Deagon and the youngsters out here from Long Island to live where life's worth living."

"But there'll be a few more theatrical contracts signed up before that time comes, won't there?" he was asked.

"There will," he answered. "Any time I see a contract with a corner situation and a southern exposure I'll grab it."

And there'll be a great many of the same kind for Arthur Deagon before the walnut trees are gnarled.

NO DAMAGE FEARED FROM BREAK IN RIVER

YUMA, Ariz., May 20.—The Colorado river broke through the levee at this end of the Bee river dam this afternoon, but nearly all the water is running through the last break. It is not thought the latest break will cause much damage.



a \$525.00 lot
to be given
away

You don't have to buy anything, or pay anything, or do anything, but take a look at it

Every person who will call at the Fremont Tract (our new subdivision, near Mills College) tomorrow, will be given a ticket entitling him to an opportunity to get a \$525 lot free.

It will not be necessary for the visitor to buy anything or to pay anything or to do anything in order to get one of these tickets except to call at our tract office on the property, where the tickets are being given out.

If a man calls with his wife each will be given a ticket and if he calls again in a week or so he will be given another ticket.

September 15th we will select five representative citizens who will decide the winner by selecting a number.

This is a mighty easy way to get a good lot for nothing.

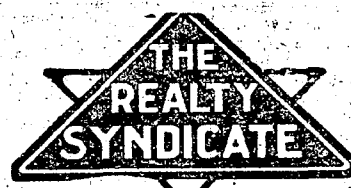
And one man or woman is just as like-

ly to win as another and you may hold the lucky number.

The best way to reach the office where these tickets are being given away is to take the Mills College cars on Twelfth street and ask the conductor to let you off at the Fremont tract.

After you get your ticket you will probably want to roam all over the property, and especially see the lot that may be yours some day because you held the lucky ticket.

In looking over the property you will



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find that we have adopted a novel plan. Instead of the necessity of sending a salesman with you to explain things and give prices, we have put a tag on a stake on every lot. This tag gives the size of the lot, price, terms, etc. If you think you'd like to buy the lot you simply tear off the tag and bring it into the office.

The lots in the Fremont Tract average \$650 each; \$5 secures one, 10 per cent of the purchase price secures a deed to it and you have seven years to pay the balance.

Full width rock macadam streets of best grade. Wide cement sidewalks. Finest sewer system in the district. Rich soil. Ideal climate. Pure water, clear title. No taxes or interest until July, 1912. Close to schools. No fog. High and dry. Nothing misrepresented.

Go out tomorrow and win a lot.

BOND VICTORY IS WELL CELEBRATED

Prominent Men Speak at Rally
in Manual Training
High School.

A rally in celebration of the school bond victory of last Tuesday was held at one o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Manual Training and Commercial High School. Prominent men of the city spoke, the entire program being as follows:

Short address, on behalf of the Mayor—Councilman A. P. Stierwatter.

Short address—C. Burkhart.

Addresses on behalf of the Progress and Prosperity committee of the Chamber of Commerce—Irvine Kahn, chairman; Kenneth Millman, A. A. Benson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

On behalf of the Federation of Mothers' clubs—Mrs. Evans T. Hancock, past president of the Mothers' Club.

On behalf of the Board of Education—President A. L. Hannaford.

On behalf of the County Board of Education—G. W. Frick.

On behalf of the school—George Hjelt, president of the student body.

Yell leader—Frank Carson.

Songs by the boys' glee club, led by Vernon Ferry, cornetist.

The committee having the rally in charge was composed of the following students of the school: Griffin Gish, Geo. Hjelt, Frank Carson, Hugh Fulton, Ed. Eichler, Haman Greenwood, Chas. Leavitt, Adolph Schaad, Christie Davis, Wallace Kite, Earl Kreiss.

FRENCH REJOICE OVER NEW TREATY

Jusserand Forwards American
Text of the Proposed
Arbitration.

PARIS, May 20.—J. J. Jusserand, the French ambassador at Washington is forwarding by mail the American text of the proposed arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain and France, which was submitted to the ambassador by Secretary Knox on Wednesday.

The French opinion is one of extreme gratification that France is placed on the same basis as England in the arbitration negotiations and the general view is that the matter should speedily be taken up and studied.

The Socialists, led by Jean Jaures, have frequently lauded in parliament America's advance in the movement for unrestricted arbitration and consequently should the government ministers favor the scheme it is expected to have the support of the Socialist party.

FISHES SCURRY TO COVER.

VALLEJO, May 20.—More than thousand permits having been issued by the Board of Works for permission to fish in the city's pair of reservoirs in Green and Wild Horse valleys, the members of this body are contemplating calling in, all authorizations on June 1 and then issuing permits only from day to day. At the present time it is feared that the lakes will be virtually depopulated of fish.

COMMENCEMENT IS OVER AT STANFORD

Today's Festivities Mark the
Close of Annual College
Event.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 20.—Today is alumni and Phi Beta Kappa day here, marking the final day of the week has been a gala one devoted to some feature of college, but the festivities of today mark the climax.

This morning the baseball game scheduled between the seniors and alumni was played, following which there was a meeting of the alumni association, with luncheon for the graduates served at noon at Roble hall. The feature of the day, however, is the Phi Beta Kappa address, delivered by Chester H. Rowell, editor of the Fresno Republican, before the members of that honorary fraternity and their friends.

Yesterday was class day, when the seniors appeared in their caps and gowns for the first time. Early in the morning degrees were conferred, followed by a meeting of the class, devoted to various addresses, and followed by the laying of the class plate in the courtyard before the chapel.

In the afternoon, President and Mrs. Jordan received the graduates at a reception in the zoology building, while the evening was devoted to the senior promenade which took place in the quadrangle to the strains of music by the band.

The day previous, Thursday, was underclassmen's day, which was given up to frivolity, from a grotesque parade in the morning to a carnival among the fraternities in the evening, when eccentric booths were erected and dances given at many of the fraternity houses.

DREDGING COMPANY WINS FROM RAILWAY

MARTINEZ, May 20.—The jury in the case of the Richmond Dredging Company against the Santa Fe Railroad Company returned a verdict finding for the plaintiff in the sum of \$25,925. The total asked was almost \$100,000. The case has been on trial for five weeks and was the outcome of a dispute regarding certain reclamation work done in 1909 in Richmond, and the Richmond Dredging Company, of which H. C. Cutting is the president, sought recovery for non-payment of money due and damages.

SAYS TALE OF BURIED TREASURE WAS MYTH

VISALIA, May 20.—Lured on by a tale of buried treasure in a churchyard in Mexico, A. M. Hunter of Los Angeles deeded twenty acres of valuable land near Dinuba, in this county, to Clarence Hall, also known as C. Coe and Robert Adams. Hunter, declaring he has been duped, asks that the deed be annulled and has brought suit to this end.

AUTOMATIC SALESMANSHIP

Clever Scheme Inaugurated by
Local Real Estate
Firm.

The new tag system installed by The Realty Syndicate at the Fremont Tract, whereby each buyer is his own salesman, proved a big help in the successful sale at the tract last Sunday.

This system is a new and unique idea in salesmanship and bids well to revolutionize tract openings where congested conditions often exist. With the new way the buyer practically becomes his own salesman, roaming at will over the tract, map in hand, until he finds a lot that suits, and is satisfactorily priced, as a tag tacked to a stake driven into the lot will show.

This tag, which gives the size of the lot and the number as well as the price, the salesman-buyer tears from the stake, takes it to the tract office, where the salesman accepts his deposit and gives him a receipt.

Encouraged by Sunday's success, the Syndicate will continue the system the coming Sunday, when it is expected a greater number of buyers will visit the tract.

From present indications The Realty Syndicate anticipates that the sale of this tract will more than equal the wonderful record established in the sale of the Piedmont Manor tract.

Excursion Rates to Portland's Rose Carnival. Commencing June 3, 5, 8, round-trip tickets will be sold to Portland at one fare and one-third, final return limit July 2. Stop can be made on these tickets, but only at stations between Delta and Portland. Tickets can be purchased at Southern Pacific offices at Broadway and 15th street, or depots.

Aids Nature

The great success of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in curing weak stomachs, wasted bodies, weak lungs, and obstinate and lingering coughs, is based on the recognition of the fundamental truth that "Golden Medical Discovery" supplies Nature with body-building, tissue-repairing, muscle-making materials, in condensed and concentrated form. With this help Nature supplies the necessary strength to the stomach to digest food, build up the body and thereby throw off lingering obstinate coughs. The "Discovery" re-establishes the digestive and nutritive organs in sound health, purifies and enriches the blood, and nourishes the nerves—in short establishes sound vigorous health.

If your dealer offers something "just as good," it is probably better FOR HIM...it pays better. But you are thinking of the cure not the profit, so there's nothing "just as good" for you. Say so.

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GOSSIP FROM SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

Baker on Redwoods.

It fills me with pleasure to be able to announce that at last Californian oratory is being heard in the House of Representatives. It has been many years since a real blown-in-the-bottle, all-wood-and-a-yard-wide orator went to Washington from this State. Of course there was a Congressman, Ned Livernash, or Edouard de Nivernais as he prefers to style himself, but a jealous House refused to hear him until the last day of the session and then the Speaker's gravel fall after he had emitted one sentence. There is also of course Bill Kent of that ilk; but Bill, as he showed in a recent utterance, leans more to the poetical than to the oratorical side of debate. My orator is Judge Baker of Alturas, a Democrat unaffiliated and, let us hope, never to be gagged. Coming from Alturas in the land of Modoc Indians and lynching bees, Baker burst upon an astonished Congress, the other day with the following tremendous bit of word painting: "In that section nature has lavished treasures and beauties which, once destroyed, cannot be restored in a hundred generations. I refer to the gigantic redwood trees, which occur in great groves in certain localities. One can ride for miles through primeval forests, which were planted by the Almighty before the Christian era. There one is in twilight at noon amid trees 88 and more feet in diameter, which go straight up without a limb for more than 100 feet, and whose crowns soaring 300 or 400 feet in the air form a vast canopy almost impervious to sunlight. Such great wonders of nature should not be permitted to fall before the woodman's axe. These groves should be preserved for the people and the nation for all time. They are as much a part of the people's heritage of delight and instruction as are the Yosemite, the Yellowstone, Mammoth Cave and other national wonders." The glowing imagery in this passage was particularly admired. It was pretty generally agreed that one rarely found this sort of jeweled language, even in railway folders. Baker and his redwoods will probably become national figures as Chester Rowell would say.—Town Talk.

Ethel Crocker Meets King

Miss Ethel Crocker's presentation to King George the other day, in company with her mother, Mrs. Will H. Crocker, marked another milestone in the brilliant life of the pretty San Francisco girl, who is really more a Russian now than an American. She has been educated mostly in France, and has lived principally with her aunt, the Princess Poniatowski, and has been introduced into the best European society by her. Miss Ethel Crocker's last visit to San Francisco was in September, when her parents gave a coming-out ball in her honor at their new home near Burlingame, which was the most elaborate function of its kind in the history of San Francisco. Shortly afterward Miss Crocker returned to Europe. Her presentation at the court of King George was arranged by Ambassador Whitelaw Reid, who is a close personal friend of the family. Miss Crocker has lived abroad so long that she is scarcely known in San Francisco, although she is related to many of the most prominent families. Her mother, Mrs. W. H. Crocker, was Miss Ethel Sperry.—The Wasp.

No Danger To Miss Crocker

In endeavoring to master the game of croquet, a few days ago, Miss Jennie Crocker was rather severely hurt. Making a leap after the ball, she fell against a water-pipe. The result was almost as painful as experienced by many in falling off the water-wagon. Miss Crocker was obliged to see a doctor. But she recovered quickly, and to friends later was almost able to deny the accident. One of them, however, an indefatigable suitor for Miss Crocker's heart and hand, insisted on extending his sympathies. He had seen the report in the newspapers, he said. Another friend was also present.

Miss Crocker shrugged her shoulders. "What report?" she inquired carelessly. "A report of you being hurt."

"The newspapers have never been able to hurt me," she replied.—News Letter.

Miss Crocker's Accident

I cannot be too severe in my criticism of the newspaper man who gave to the world the news of Miss Jennie Crocker's accident at the Clark polo grounds in Hillsborough. Here is the way this vulgar scribbler wrote: "Miss Jennie Crocker sustained a severe injury to her right leg yesterday afternoon when she ran into a hydrant." Did you ever hear such low language in your life? What are we coming to when the elect can be treated in this unworthy manner. Proper respect for the upper classes should have caused the newspaperman to write that important item of news something like this: "There was great consternation among the many friends of Miss Jennie Crocker, the beautiful and cultured multimillionaire, yesterday afternoon. Sorrow swept over Hillsborough, the municipality of millions; there was mourning in the country club at Burlingame; up and down the county of San Mateo in the palatial residences of our most important society people, prominent matrons, bewitching maids, strong men and handsome chaplains were dissolved in tears; and when the news of the calamity reached San Francisco there was a commotion that played havoc with the usual calm of Pacific avenue and Broadway. For yesterday afternoon Miss Crocker was the victim of a heart-rending accident when, displaying that delightful vivacity for which she is loved, she ran into the iron discharge pipe of a water main and sustained an abrasion of her catastrophic right lower limb. The accident will not prevent Miss Crocker from attending the coronation." This, I submit, is the genteel language suited to such a matter.—Town Talk.

Kent and His Friend Cobb

From the San Francisco dailies one derives very meager information of affairs in Washington. To keep posted on the subject of national legislation and national politics one must read either a New York daily or one of the leading newspapers of the interior. Even matters of local interest are neglected by our parochial press. Take for instance the squabble in Washington over the appointment of Charles Cobb as assistant attorney-general for the Interior Department. This is a matter that has excited a deal of interest in the East, but you would never know it if you confined your newspaper reading to the San Francisco dailies. I have been keeping track of it by reading the Washington correspondent of the Sacramento Union. From him I learn that the matter of the confirmation of Cobb's appointment was referred to a sub-committee of the Senate which requested Attorney-General Wickersham to submit a statement with reference to the indictment against Kent's land company and explain what influence Cobb could exert on Kent's case. Attorney-General Wickersham reported that Cobb would not handle the case as it has been practically concluded and awaits only reports as to the amount of damage done by Kent's fences. From this it is inferred that Kent has succeeded in persuading the Interior Department to withdraw criminal prosecution. But the subcommittee has learned that there is a second similar case against Congressman Kent that has never been acted upon, and consequently more light is requested.—Town Talk.

He Threatened Newspaper.

Kent's friends in San Francisco have been saying that the opposition to Cobb was started by local enemies of the Congressman from the second district in the hope of involving him in a scandal. But the truth is that Kent has been put on the defensive by the New York Tribune which recently recited the history of the indictment for the illegal fencing of public domain. The Tribune said: "Kent does not want this criminal prosecution to proceed further. Therefore he has made a proposition to compromise whereby the case may be settled on civil grounds, either by the payment of a sum equal to the injury supposed to have been done by his illegal fencing, or by satisfaction of fine, the amount of which is fixed in advance and based on the agreement of the Goconda Cattle Company, 'Billy' Kent, president, to plead to the criminal charge." The Tribune charged that if Cobb were confirmed it would be his official duty to pass upon the merits of the compromise proposition which his patron Kent has made, with the perfectly natural hope of escaping the penalty of criminal prosecution and the substitution thereof of a purely civil prosecution; in effect, of paying the government approximately the rental price of the lands which have been fenced. Kent announced one day his intention to sue the Tribune for libel, but the next day he modified his statement, saying he would consult his attorney.—Town Talk.

The Letters Didn't Jibe

This is the story of a letter and it must be anonymous—not the letter but the story. To give names would serve no good purpose and would certainly inflame pain. (And yet the names are being given as the story makes the circuit of the tea tables. Gossips are not as considerate as Tantalus.) A young man prominent in society recently had the good fortune to become engaged to a young woman equally prominent in society. Their friends were delighted with the match and took occasion to say so. But among the friends of the couple is a matron of considerable prestige who admires the young man but for some reason, not clear, does not admire the young woman. So she wrote a letter of felicitation to the young woman in which it was made to appear that the young woman had captured a paragon, a beau ideal, a Bayard sans peur et sans reproche, an Admirable Crichton, a what-you-will. Life for the young woman was no flower into supreme happiness in the company of that wonderful, that perfect young man. Naturally the young woman was delighted. She believed every word in that high-keyed bit of epistolary composition. And she showed it to her future husband. He read it with interest, but without exaltation. Surprised, the young woman inquired the reason. For answer he drew from his pocket a letter in the same handwriting. It was from the same matron and it was her confidential exposure to him of her suspicion of his future wife. Briefly, curiously, she wrote to regret that she could not congratulate him on his choice of a wife. . . . That prominent matron is no longer on good terms with that young man. Even if he can forgive, his wife-to-be cannot and never will. What dangerous things letters are!—Town Talk.

Bandit and Poet

When Chris Evans sought out Joaquin Miller in his shack on the outskirts of Oakland, he little expected the "muse of the high Sierras" (Oakland footbills) to relate tales of daring which made the old bandit's deeds seem mild in comparison, yet that is what occurred, I am told. Joaquin has a scar. It is an elusive and migratory scar, caused by an Indian bullet and tomahawk. Joaquin clapped his hand on the old scar on his befringed bootleg. He told Evans of wild days, and how he had got the scar, (which had now risen to his left arm), in defending a beautiful girl from death. Later the scar was located in Joaquin's neck and finally it was concealed by his beard. Marvelous man! The old bandit left the cottage with a puzzled air. "Say," he remarked to a friend who accompanied him, "that old duffer ought to have written fiction instead of poetry."—The Wasp.

Dr. Aked and the Bible

Opinion as to the soundness of Dr. Aked's utterances may be divided, but there can only be one sentiment as to their suggestiveness. Whenever he opens his mouth out flies something to give us pause. That his diatribe are never original makes little difference. Preachers cannot be expected to cultivate originality, even on ten thousand dollars a year. By putting new masks on the worn and wrinkled faces of century-old heresies they are sure to win newspaper notoriety which is one of the great desiderata in new fangled pulpitering. To regard Christianity as a system of ethics is not a new way of slurring Christian dogma. It is a way that is as ancient as Julian the Apostate and as modern as Dr. Aked. (The worthy doctor will forgive me for this juxtaposition of great names.) Centuries before Bob Ingersoll lectured the "mistakes of Moses" occupied the attention of half-baked scientists. And yet Dr. Aked slams the great old leader of the tribes with the fresh enthusiasm of Mark Twain weeping at the grave of Adam. In his baccalaureate address to the students of the University of California last Sunday, Dr. Aked quoted from Exodus: "And Moses put forth his hand and caught the serpent, and it became a rod in his hand;" commenting airily, "I am no more interested in Oriental magic than you are."—Town Talk.

The Old-Fashioned Scriptures

Dr. Aked is of that fin de siècle band who scouted the Bible as out of date. He probably does not know that the narrative of Moses stands today better verified than the narrative of any ancient historian. We are not living at the end of the nineteenth century, when the exposure of the "mistakes of Moses" was an easy road to popular favor, but at the beginning of the second decade of the twentieth century when the celebration of the tercentenary of the St. James version finds peculiar significance on account of the respectful attitude which scientists are assuming toward the historical value of the Mosiac narrative. But it is easier to flout than to dig; incomparably easier to call Moses an Oriental magician than to master the meaning of the ancient records that corroborate the Biblical accounts of his deeds. In other words, it is easier to indulge in destructive than in constructive criticism. I wish that Dr. Aked would ponder such utterances as the following which is taken from a recent article by George Holley Gilbert in the North American Review: "Whatever may be the relation of the historical criticism of the Bible to human civilization a thousand years hence, or ten thousand, it is now at the beginning of this twentieth century a relation full of vitality and instinct with hope. The services it has rendered and is rendering is enormous. It has not only saved the Bible in the day of the revelations of science, but it has justified the Bible's existence and mission to many of the foremost representatives of science itself. This will surely be held to be a distinguished service to human progress by all who believe that religion is a factor in this progress. Again, the modern method of interpretation is serving the cause of civilization by uncovering, as was never done before, the motives and ideals of that literature which of all the literatures of history is far the deepest, purest, and most inspiring. It is pouring into the channels of civilization, as from a newly discovered fountain of life, the waters that have power over the spiritual nature of man. It has made the Bible, even in this age of science, a greater magnet than it was in the days of Luther."—Town Talk.

The Doctor on the Crusades

Dr. Aked, naturally enough, has no sympathy for the Crusades. He is not in tune with that wonderful movement of the ages of chivalry and faith. He calls the Crusades "the fashionable madness of the Middle Ages." No doubt he listed them in his volume of "Extraordinary Popular Delusions," with the Mississippi Bubble, the search for the philosopher's stone and the tulip mania. By so doing he exhibits the defects of a small mind that cannot grasp heroism when heroism is a religious motive. I would really like to hear his opinion of Joan of Arc. Meanwhile I am going to quote once again for his edification, this time from Minnie Kellogg's recently published book, "Flowers from Medieval History." She is speaking of the Children's Crusade: "A veritable allegory of the Age of Faith was presented on the great stage of history in 1212, when two enormous armies of little boys and girls started from France and Germany singing, to march to the Holy Land; if any of these children turned back, none of them seem to have found their old homes. As far as is known to history, one child alone returned as an aged pilgrim, to tell the tale—how the bones of the children strewed the mountain side; how they had been embarked on unseaworthy vessels to be sold into slavery; how few, how very few, ever reached their goal; how few, how very few, ever remained pure and holy. Connected with this tragedy was a horrible pope and a horrible doctor, but now they seem but foils to the purity of children. It was all so long ago, and that the mystic beauty of that little legion may live lyrically in our life, the Twentieth Century has set their pathetic march to music in stately oratorio; for pure aspiration is the melody of melodies, the veritable flower of history." Does Dr. Aked see in this naïve but "fashionable madness?" Perhaps his success as a fashionable preacher, as illustrated by his transcendental trip in the palatial private car of a railroad president, causes him to believe that all religious enthusiasm is nothing more than fashionable madness.—Town Talk.

Judge Melvin and the Egg Trick

That Henry A. Melvin, Judge of the Supreme Court, and likewise member and past president of the Bohemian Club, is an amateur magician of unusual ability is known to many of his friends who have been fortunate enough to see him in action. But the whys and wherefores of his sudden retreat from the field of wizardry are known to but few. Melvin is a prime favorite with all who know him. He has a fine voice, is an interesting conversationalist, and can tell a good story to the queen's taste, but as a sleight-of-hand artist he is a wonder, and no mistake. In regard to the latter accomplishment, however, he had one unbreakable rule. He never played tricks away from home. And so long as he adhered to this rule, all went merry as the proverbial nuptial bells.

But one night, not so long ago, he came to grief. The occasion was an affair given by a friend to which some thirty or forty people had been asked, among them the Judge. Now the afternoon before the party, his host called on Melvin and urged him to favor the guests with a few examples of his black art, finally prevailing upon the jurist to perform. "And above all things, Judge," he said, "don't forget the egg trick."

"But," demurred Melvin, "I cannot do that without a confederate." "Well, I'll be your confederate," offered the prospective host, and it was arranged that during the height of the festivities, Jones would call the Judge from the room. In due course of time the eventful night arrived, and according to schedule the Judge began to delight the assembled guests with a number of clever tricks. In the midst of things, however, his host called him out. "Now, Judge, what is it?" he asked.

"Bring me half a dozen eggs," commanded the Judge. This was done without delay. "Five of these," said the sleight-of-hand artist, "I will put in the back pocket of my coat. The other one you must keep. Now, I'll go back into the room, and after another trick or two I will announce my intention to show them the famous egg trick. That must be your cue. Saunter into the room unexpectedly, and I will call upon you to act as my subject. But before you come in, put that egg in your mouth. I will, of course, after the usual passes take the egg from you, and in turning to show it to the audience, will with my other hand replace it with one from my coat pocket. All you have to do is to keep quiet, and don't attempt to talk."

The Judge returned to his audience, bearing upon his person the five fateful eggs. After a trick or two, "I will now show you my famous egg trick," he announced. "But before I proceed, I must call upon one of you to act as a subject." True to his instructions, the host of the evening entered the room, and the Judge pounced upon him without delay. "Here, Jones," he cried, "you'll do." But Jones didn't look pleased one bit. In fact, he looked frightfully uneasy. But the Judge, having by the arm backing him away to a chair in the corner, Jones made a number of futile passes at his tormentor, but not being versed in the deaf and dumb language, failed to make his meaning clear. "Buck up!" said the Judge, sotto voce, "don't get stage fright—you'll get through all right."

Jones made one last desperate attempt to avert disaster, tugging viciously at the Judge's trouser leg, but that worthy shook him off and turned to the waiting audience. "Ladies and gentlemen," he proclaimed in his very best manner, "I will now take from Mr. Jones's mouth half a dozen eggs, one at a time. Watch closely!" Turning, he indulged in a few wave movements, whereupon Jones' face became a study in distress signals, but the Judge, convinced that his confederate was acting up to the part in high feather, was moved to more violent gestures, at which nature could stand no more. With one last facial contortion, Jones threw his hands high above his head and gave vent to one mighty sneeze. The imprisoned egg came forth with a bound, and lit in scrambled style right in the middle of the Judge's spotless shirt-front. Half-drowned, that gentleman backed away from his victim, and brought up with violent impact against the adjoining wall, at which the five remaining eggs made known their presence in the Judge's coatall pocket by large and resounding crackles. Melvin was egg on his head to his heels, back and front, inside and out, and had to be taken home in a taxi, barrels not being allowed upon the public highways. Since then he has consistently refused to demonstrate his skills as a magician, and says that an egg in the hand is worth five in the pocket.—News Letter.

Merely a Society Woman

Friends of Mrs. Jack Johnson, who before her marriage was pretty Bernice Landers, popular in local social circles, are laughing at an experience which the charming society woman had the other day when, with her husband, she departed for her summer home in Mill Valley. After stepping from the train across the bay, her husband left her for a few moments while he went into a nearby store. An old friend greeted her with, "Well, well, and how is Mrs. Jack Johnson today?" They stood chatting pleasantly, until Mrs. Jack noticed that several rustics and campers who had been eavesdropping the remark were eyeing her with unusual attention. At first she ignored their stares, but finally realized that she was the center of quite a throng. She became embarrassed, wondering what there could be about her to attract such undue attention. There were a number of other ladies near by, but the crowd ignored them. Suddenly she heard one of the crowd remark to a newcomer, "Say, Bill, there's Mrs. Jack Johnson. Gee, she's a peach! How did that big smoke ever get such a queen?" But "Bill" was better informed than the others. After one glance, he turned away with a disgusted air, that's not the champion's wife! That's only a society woman from San Francisco! and the crowd lost interest at once and dispersed.—The Wasp.

Will Ignore the Coronation

Mrs. Francis Carolan will not desert Paris for even the lure of the coronation, a Paris correspondent informs me. The San Francisco society woman is ensconced in a palatial residence in the French capital, where she is winning considerable renown as a hostess, and she has decided that the rush in the British capital would make her visit there rather unpleasant, and that far more enjoyment might be had in Paris. She is the first society woman who has decided to ignore the British celebration, and her decision is something of a surprise to her local friends. The fact that other San Francisco people will probably be presented to the British King may have piqued Mrs. Carolan. Be that as it may, she will not visit the English capital until later in the year. I am told, unless she suddenly changes her plans.—The Wasp.

Mrs. Carolan Disappoints

Most decidedly it is not in anger but in sorrow that I find myself constrained to administer a peppermint to Mrs. Frank Carolan of San Francisco and Paris. Mrs. Carolan has grievously disappointed Mrs. Here was a woman to whom I looked every day for the inadequate and thing-and-a-bole she has gone and done it. I refer to her soiree of recent date in the Rue Chardin, Paris. To this soiree, one of a series, Mrs. Carolan bade the notables of cosmopolitan society in the gay capital of the world and for their entertainment she trotted out—whom do you think? Why, none other than Charles Kellogg, the bird-man. (But it is understood that he is not an aviator but a sort of aviary. He imitates the songs of all the birds that sing.) Now Charles Kellogg is a wonderful person, worthy of the greatest consideration, entitled soiree to which the adjectives "unique" and "original" are plentifully applied. Everybody who is anybody in the world has heard Charles Kellogg. Even on the edge of the footstool we have heard him warble and twitter and trill. So how came it that Mrs. Carolan gave him to baffle Paris?

Is there no new material for entertainment? The supposition cannot be considered for a moment. I am afraid Mrs. Carolan has descended one point in my estimation.—Town Talk.

Goldie Graham, Painter

Artistic Paris is prostrate at the feet of "our own Goldie" Graham, says an enthusiastic San Francisco society reporter, who is gifted with a fertile imagination if nothing else. "One must mention her with the Bonheurs," the reporter declares, "for she is one of the wonderful painters of animals." He continues: "Mon Dieu! and shades of Marcus Junius O'Brien! The ghost of Rosa Bonheur will probably haunt this reporter for his stupidity. "Our Goldie" was well known in San Francisco even before she received or applied for her divorce from her hubby, who manufactures printer's ink. It is true that "Our Goldie" could sketch a friole, but a good dancer to the labors of a studio. But possibly the staid spirit which pervades Paris has brought about a change, and she has within a year learned to paint, and paint so well that she "has artistic Paris at her feet." Well, Goldie always was remarkable, anyway.—The Wasp.

De Nevalnais Divorce Rumored

Mrs. E. J. Nevalnais, who was Mrs. Zella Dumouriez, is coming back to California from her beautiful home in Canada. I learn, and she will probably ask for a divorce from her present husband, who was E. J. Livernash, but who changed his name to De Nevalnais. Mrs. de Nevalnais will arrive in San Francisco in October, according to her present plans. She will probably remain here. Few women in California have had a more tragic or interesting history than she. For many years she was the close friend of former Governor James Budd and it was not until after his death that her parentage was revealed. She was Budd's daughter, born out of wedlock. In the early days, when "Jim" Budd was a gawky and unprepossessing college boy, he met a widow much older than he, yet who touched a chord in his nature that no other woman could make vibrate. He was engaged to Miss Inez Merrill, and felt it his duty to marry her, while he did, although he loved the other woman, who later bore him a daughter. This daughter was the present Mrs. de Nevalnais. Budd guarded the secret even from his daughter, and until his death she believed herself his niece. She traveled through Europe with him, and was his constant companion for years. They had the same tastes in literature and similar pleasures. "She was the brightest spot in Budd's rather sad life. The secret of her parentage was revealed by chance after Budd's death. Her first husband was Emil Dumouriez, and by him she had a daughter, Lena, who is now the wife of a well-to-do Redwood City business man. E. J. de Nevalnais, or as he was known in San Francisco, E. J. Livernash, was a lawyer and newspaperman. He worked on the Examiner for several years. He was known as an eccentric man and when he was tried for shooting at a local jurist in an attempt to kill him, Livernash conducted his own trial and proved himself insane at the time of the shooting. He was acquitted. He was once arrested at the ferry in women's clothes, and explained that he was enjoying himself. He was later elected to Congress from the Fourth district. He wooed and won the eccentric Mrs. Dumouriez, and they were married in Nevada. They went to Europe to live, and bought a beautiful home on the Riviera. Mrs. Dumouriez was wealthy, and increased her fortune by shrewd speculations. She was known here for her odd style of dress and her eccentricities. She formerly had a beautiful home at North Beach, which was burned during the fire of 1906. She may rebuild the house, as she still owns the property. Her husband will not accompany her on her return from Europe.—The Wasp.

He Lost His Pet Seal

Here is an opportunity for epitaph writers. The pet seal of Henry P. Bowle, millionaire clubman, and Recorder of Hillsborough, has been slain. It was found dead last Friday morning, with the blood oozing from two bullet holes, slayer unknown. But Deputy Constable Albert Peeling is on the trail. And even if it should turn out to be Sothern's Macbeth, the murderer will be discovered. For when did Monsieur Peeling ever fail? Among "shadow" men, he ranks in the same high class with "Razor-Byed Dick" and "Eat-Em-Alive Bill." He's the wonder of Hillsborough, sharing the honors with Jennie Crocker's menagerie of wild beasts—which are not all ribbon-bearing terriers. The Wily One then is on the track. But the seal is dead. And Henry P., as best he can, is hiding or has "hidden" his sorrow. It was perhaps a sad prayer for the soul of his pet that he attended church Sunday following its demise, thus breaking the established record of San Francisco clubmen, who under ordinary circumstances go to church but twice in their lives—once when they are married and once when they are dead.

Henry P., however, went. Also did he sit it successfully through. Then on the steps of the tabernacle, coming out, a devoted young lady of society surged up to him. "Why, Mr. Bowle," she exclaimed, "I am surprised to see you here." He looked at her sadly. "You may never see me here again," he suggested. "Why—why do you say that?" "Didn't you hear? I have lost my 'zeal' utterly."—News Letter.

The Job Chasers

To keep peace in his political family, Governor Johnson finds it a task that calls for much ingenuity. There is a great scramble for the loaves and fishes on the water front, and the demand far exceeds the supply. And to complicate matters Harbor Commissioner Hale is disposed to recognize merit that has already been vindicated in service rather than to experiment with talent which has no other recommendation than political expediency. So the reformers are already at loggerheads. That stern young civic patriot, Hon. Ralph Hathorn, and that eminent, reliable and steadfast statesman, the Hon. "Dick" Welch, are almost on the point of quitting the reservation and throwing competition fits. Hathorn is convinced that if there is such a thing as political gratitude in this wide world he will be appointed to the attorneyship of the harbor board, but the suspicion is beginning to haunt him that Arthur Elliot of the trans-bay region is slated for the job, and on some hypothesis he attributes the circumstance to the activity or the apathy of Al McCabe. "Dick" Welch is of the opinion that the Administration will be guilty of indescribable folly by appointing anybody but himself to the office of chief wharfinger. Yet this folly is believed to be inevitable, for Fred Sanborn is reported to have pronounced the always reliable and never-to-be-forgottening Seneca impossible. And Sanborn is said to be a power behind the appointments thus far made are those of Max Thelen, attorney for the railroad commission, and Warren Olney, Jr., attorney for the board of regents. These two lawyers were formerly associated in practice. Thelen was right-of-way attorney for the Western Pacific and Mr. Olney was also one of the attorneys for the company. Their appointment seems to bear out the assertions that were made during Governor Johnson's campaign to the effect that while he was hostile to the Southern Pacific he had no hard feeling against the Western Pacific. But of course no criticism is to be made of the appointment of these two talented lawyers. They have come into their own reward, having been very enthusiastic advocates of Mr. Johnson's election.—Town Talk.

Really, It Was Long Enough

A very old friend of ours, one who knows everything and everyone, is responsible for the following. As he is in the habit of relating, however, and not originating, his story can be well believed. Anyway, how is a lady to recognize even that pink of chivalry, a thirty-third degree Mason, on an ordinary or extraordinary, pay-as-you-enter street car? There were two of them, and they had come to assist in the dedication of the Scottish Rite Temple. They conversed on the car, forgetful of their surroundings. They talked of matters concerning their order, of matters concerning the State, and, finally, of "the shortness of flax." For let it be known that the flax crop this year lay below the average output. The subject came up incidentally, and they passed it off in a few phrases, meaningful, to a certain extent, of very short cut, sitting opposite them. They had glanced at her, of course, as Masons will, and as we do now, had repeated that sounding phrase, significant, "shortness in flax." The rest of the conversation was not so sounding. Getting on her feet suddenly, madame threw them a glance of fire. "I have you know that it is no short-er than they are wearing them," she flung, as she went out.—News Letter.

Getting Ready For Hearst

In the newspaper offices of Seattle there is an air of suppressed excitement, a girding of loins and a general preparation for battle. For the editors of the Post-Intelligencer and the Times are getting ready to resist the invasion of William Randolph Hearst. Hearst's agent in Seattle, Dent H. Robert of this city, has already made an offer of \$350,000 for a suitable site for a newspaper plant. The offer was refused and he is now considering other favorable locations. It is expected that the formal announcement of the foundation of the Seattle American will be made shortly.—Town Talk.

Steffens and the Commonwealters

Last Saturday the members of the Commonwealth Club listened to Sir J. J. Besh Windbag in the person of Lincoln Steffens, zuckraker, who has made muck raking pay because the country is full of commonwealthers. I am told that Mr. Steffens made "a deep impression" on the gentlemen of the Commonwealth Club, so deep an impression on some of them that they went away saying it was one of the finest speeches they had ever heard. I have since read extracts from the speech, and I found them to be precisely what I supposed Sir J. Besh capable of uttering—cant and claptrap and nothing more. And then I reflected. The men of the Commonwealth Club unquestionably are above the average citizen in intelligence, yet the agitation of the hour is for more democracy, for a government by men who will be guided by Sir J. Besh Windbag, or what other Cagliostro, Cagliostro, Cagliostro! the accidents of the times may elevate to ephemeral prominence. The only hypothesis on which I can account for the hit made by Mr. Steffens at the Commonwealth Club is that he has so much personal magnetism that what he says is of no importance. It may be that he intoxicated their senses, ravished their understanding and subjected them to so powerful a spell that they could do nothing but admire and applaud. How else am I to account for the reception that was given his utterances at the Commonwealth Club? Fancy a Steffens getting up on his hind feet and telling men in their sober senses that the bar is corrupt because even its honest members think wrong. Naturally any man whose faculties are in good working order would be inclined to ask, "How does Mr. Steffens know they think wrong? Who made him the repository of eternal truth? By what process was his judgment made final?" Reading on I find this sentiment: "The man who honestly thinks it his duty to add the business class to the detriment of any other class, may do so with the clearest conscience but he thinks wrong." This appears to be a true enough motto, but who is it that thinks it his duty to add one class to the detriment of another class? Here we have an assumption for which I doubt that Mr. Steffens can find justification. It strikes me as an ordinary instance of the construction of a straw man for the usual purpose.—Town Talk.

Japanese Question Causes Tiff

An incident occurred at the luncheon given at the University Club in honor of Governor Woodrow Wilson by which it was shown that that eminent pedagogue, the Hon. David Starr Jordan, possesses the secret of making himself offensive as well as tedious. Seated some distance from the great schoolmaster was the venerable chief justice of the Supreme Court of the State. During the luncheon a gentleman by his side struck up a conversation with him on the Japanese question. Justice Beatty remarked that he regarded the Japanese as a menace to the State. The remark reached the capacious ears of Dr. Jordan, who, it is well-known, believes that he has an estate for life in the Japanese question as a topic for discussion. This topic is to him what his bowling-green and the Widow Wadsworth were to Mr. Uncle Tolly. Dr. Jordan has constituted himself the universal defender of the Japanese. And so when he heard Justice Beatty's observation he blurted out in a loud voice what he probably regarded as a complete refutation of the sentiment. "Any man," said he, "who believes the Japanese are a menace to the State will be in an insane asylum within ten years." Justice Beatty calmly retorted that it was strange to find a man who would make such an argument outside the walls of a home for the feeble-minded.—Town Talk.

May Reveal Old Scandal

Concealed beneath the application of Mrs. E. A. Montgomery of this city to regain the custody of her two daughters, Alberta, aged 14, and Anna, aged 13, is a story which was furnished much gossip over the teacups and in social circles. Mrs. Montgomery was Edith Meek of San Lorenzo, beautiful, and an heiress, when Albert Sutton of this city married her in 1896. For several years the couple lived contentedly together, but it later began to be rumored about that their domestic life was not what it might be, and there was much gossip. Matters came to a head in 1907, when Mrs. Sutton eloped with her chauffeur, taking her two little daughters. The couple went to Paris and lived there apparently content. Sutton seemingly was glad to be free of his wife, but wanted his children. He quietly journeyed to the French capital, kidnapped the children, and escaped out of the country with them. He returned to San Francisco and filed suit for divorce. Mrs. Sutton abandoned her chauffeur and returned to San Francisco. Sutton then dismissed his suit for divorce alleging insanity, and substituting papers charging desertion. He was granted a decree and the custody of the children. Last year Mrs. Sutton married E. A. Montgomery, a wealthy real estate broker of this city. Sutton has since remarried and moved to Oregon with his children. Now Mrs. Sutton-Montgomery is planning a legal battle to secure the custody of her little ones, who are little ones no longer, but are rapidly becoming young ladies. Both Sutton and his former wife are wealthy, and the legal battle promises to be hard fought and also sensational, owing to the skeleton which will be dug up and shaken until the bones rattle.—Wasp.

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Let Us Start Right.

Respecting the charges involving County Assessor Henry P. Dalton THE TRIBUNE has no opinion to express; that matter is now in the hands of the courts, and it is the policy of this paper not to prejudice the popular mind in cases in process of adjudication. Moreover, we are confident the truth will be vindicated and justice done.

But when the integrity and good faith of District Attorney William H. Donahue are impugned THE TRIBUNE does have something to say, and it proposes to say it here and now—in justice both to an upright and zealous public official and to the people of Alameda county in general. Mr. Donahue is doing his duty under circumstances which are no doubt painful to him, and false imputations cast upon him at this juncture are to be resented as an attack on righteous administration of the law.

No right-thinking person can be made to believe that Mr. Donahue has conspired with others to ruin and disgrace any man, much less send him to prison and inflict sorrow and suffering on his family.

The District Attorney has been known since childhood in this county, and his record is that of a just man, with kindly instincts and generous judgments. His fidelity to public duty is a guarantee that he does not meditate injustice to any man. The performance of his duty entitles him to public support, morally speaking, and in a measure to public sympathy, but to no suggestion of blame.

Not only is Mr. Donahue an honest man in the broad general sense of the term, but he is an admirable citizen and a most worthy and capable public servant. In doing his sworn duty base motives and still baser acts should not be imputed to him. His character as a private citizen and his record as law officer of the county forbid any reasonable person to even entertain the imputation.

This is not said because William H. Donahue needs any defense or has done anything that in the slightest degree calls for explanation or apology, but in justice to the truth and the public interests. In matters coming within his province as law officer of the county, Mr. Donahue is the guardian of the rights and interests of the people and at the same time personifies officially the administration of the law, the mission of which is to mete out justice to all and inflict injustice to none.

It is as much his duty to vindicate the innocent as to punish the guilty, and that he can be depended upon to do. It should not be represented without emphatic protest that he is engaged in a conspiracy to prostitute the machinery of the law to serve a base and unjust purpose.

William H. Donahue is the last man in Alameda county to persecute and disgrace an innocent man. Let the charges brought against the County Assessor be sifted impartially and to the bottom, but let us not begin by assailing the integrity of the District Attorney.

The Fresno Herald speaks of the decision of the Federal Supreme Court in the case of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison as a labor victory. It is nothing of the kind. It is a victory for fairplay and constitutional privilege. That it has freed the labor leaders from an unjust summary conviction for contempt of court is merely incidental. They were relieved of the penalties inflicted on them because the Supreme Court rebuked and balked an attempt to extend the jurisdiction of the courts of the District of Columbia all over the country. It is a victory for justice and the constitution.

A Climatic Contrast.

Sharp frosts fell in Chicago on the nights of the 3rd and 4th of May. Two weeks later people were dying of sunstroke in Chicago. According to the press dispatches twelve persons died from excessive heat in that city on May 18th, and hundreds more collapsed in the streets. Sometimes we have rather sudden climatic changes out here, but nothing approaching or resembling the extraordinary transitions which occur in the Middle and Eastern States. Sunstroke is unknown in California, and heat prostrations are exceedingly rare, even in the most torrid sections of the State. We do not alternate between frost and sweltering heat in the spring. It is only necessary to contrast the climatic conditions which prevailed in the Middle States in the beginning of May with those which prevail at present for Californians to appreciate the inestimable climatic advantages they enjoy. The caprices of spring are always mild in this region, and in the main add to the charms of nature and the joy of animal existence. We do not freeze one week and suffocate with heat the next. The warm waves are followed by the tonic of coolness. In neither respect are extremes reached. Here nature seems to have exhausted her resources in creating conditions essential to the highest productivity in an infinite variety of production in conjunction with salubrity, mildness and an evenness of temperature midway between extremes. Here outdoor life has its greatest zest and the fewest discomforts, and labor is shorn of the hardships which attend physical effort in other lands. The snow-capped summits of the mountains are ever in sight of perpetual sunshine, and between the two oranges and cherries reach perfection in the same orchard. The sea on one side and the mountains on the other temper the climate without robbing it of vigor, nor of those variable moods which give it the perpetual novelty of continual change. This is surely the best country on earth. Californians should be thankful that they dwell in a land so gloriously blessed. Life here is truly worth living.

Senator Root's proposal to amend the Canadian reciprocity agreement is nothing less than an attempt to kill it. Lying behind his amendment is a basketful of others which will, if adopted, destroy the purpose and effect of the agreement and insure its rejection by the Canadian Parliament. Let one amendment be adopted, and the Senate can refuse to entertain others which may be indefinitely debated. Thus the Root proposition gives the opponents of reciprocity an opportunity to talk the agreement to death. The New York Senator cannot in good faith favor reciprocity if he aids its enemies to make it impossible.

"Why not hold the State conventions of both great political parties in Fresno next year?" asks the Fresno Herald. Because it is easier for Mahomet to go to the mountain than it is for the mountain to go to Mahomet. Let Chester Rowell be taken to the conventions and not the conventions to Rowell. But we are willing that Fresno should be made the shrine of political pilgrimage after the death of the Fresno editor. As long as he is alive there is no need to go to the hot place to seek him.

WAITING FOR LEAP YEAR



—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS.

The Referendum and the Voter.

At the recent charter election more than 22,000 votes were polled. More than 10,000 registered voters did not go to the polls. At the bond election immediately following the charter election a trifle fewer than 10,000 votes were polled. On a proposition to bond the city for nearly \$3,000,000 less than one-third the citizens qualified to exercise the franchise voted. Hundreds of others did not take the trouble to register.

Here is a striking illustration of the value of direct legislation. When it comes to electing officials the mass of the voters will turn out. When the issue is merely one of authorizing projects and expenditures incurring debt and taxes only a minority take the trouble to express themselves; the majority let the matter go by default. Legislation as a function does not appeal to the average voter; he wants a candidate for whom to hurrah, peddle tickets and hustle while an election is pending. It is the personal element of attraction and repulsion—the desire to elect or beat somebody—that arouses his interest and enlists his sympathies; a mere question affecting the public welfare finds him lethargic and uninterested.

It is a wholesome provision of the law that requires all propositions to incur debt to be submitted to the electorate, but its effect in drawing out an expression of public opinion is disappointing. The veto placed in the hands of the voter is not used by the majority of electors. How will it be when matters less immediate and vital in effect than debt and taxation are submitted to the decision of a popular vote?

Experience has proved that the average citizen can be depended upon to vote for men and cannot be depended upon, or even induced, to vote on measures. By his acts the citizen shows that he wants to be an elector, not a legislator. He refuses even to inquire diligently into measures submitted to his approval. When he does vote on measures, he votes as often as not blindly or on the say so of some person no better informed than himself. Yet at the same time he may delude himself into thinking he believes in the initiative and referendum. When he gets it he doesn't use it.

HOPE FOR THE HORSE

There is a growing tendency in the German mining industries to substitute machine for horse traction. In the mining districts of Dortmund there were 1878 fewer horses used for traction purposes in 1910 than formerly. In the Saar district electric traction is being extended. Lately an electric accumulator traction engine was introduced which requires no driver.

The electrification of the trunk railways in Germany made slow progress in 1910. The general plan to substitute electric for steam traction on the main lines is difficult to carry into execution for financial and military reasons.

In most of the territory in north Germany through which the railways run there is but little natural water power

for generating electricity, but this is not an insurmountable objection, as advantage is being taken of the economic uses to which inferior fuels, such as lignite, may be put for the production of steam. The objection to the electrification of the German railways, from a military point of view is that there would be a relatively small number of power stations, which in time of war might be easily put out of service by the enemy. At present that part of the main line of the Prussian railways between Magdeburg and Leipzig and Halle and Leipzig is being changed from steam to electric traction. The section between Dessau and Bitterfeld has been so nearly completed that rural trips will soon be commenced.—Consular Reports.

NAMING PULLMAN CARS

The mystery of the naming of the Pullman sleeping, dining and parlor cars was explained to the members of the state board of tax commissioners recently by J. D. Ferguson, representing the Pullman Company.

"One of the by-questions always asked me whenever I lay myself open to questions concerning the business of the Pullman Company is 'Who names the cars?' It is popularly supposed that someone is employed by the year to name the cars. One report is that the employee is a woman and that she is paid \$5000 a year for the work.

"The Pullman cars are named by the clerk who happens to be in charge of the naming department when a car is to be named. There is something of a system in naming them. I recall that all the cars of one line are named for flowers

Another is named from a line of ancient Egyptian kings. Other names are chosen haphazard. At any rate no one is paid \$5000 a year for naming them. If the company were paying that and got the kind of names it does, I would, to say the least, have my own idea about the returns on the outlay."—Indianapolis News.

Things in General

A resolution adopted by the Chicago Board of Education designates "The Star Spangled Banner" as the national anthem, so far as the Chicago schools are concerned. Chicago is indisputably a part of the land of the free, and since so many people live there in spite of all the holdups, perhaps it is apt to be the home of the brave.—Boston Globe.

Twenty Years Ago Today

It is the intention of the Piedmont Cable Company to begin the work of transforming the horse car line on Fourteenth street into a cable road. The contracts have been let and the work will commence in about two weeks.

The high school commencement exercises will be held in the Congregational church tomorrow night. The graduates are as follows: Gertrude A. Allen, Shirley Baker, G. A. Biglow, Bertha T. Bradley, Harry Brunn, Edith S. Byrbee, Alice M. Dunn, Daisie Farr, Will H. Gorrill, Walter H. Graves, Roy T. Guppy, Edward P. Higby, George J. Hoffman, Charles R. Holton, Madison R. Jones, Amy M. Lange, Katherine Lynch, Kate H. Martin, Maude L. North, Harriett L. Nye, Katherine L. Owen, Vida Reddington, Eva Roseberry, William T. Saterwhite, Cecil H. Smith, Grace Sutton, A. L. Tenney, Alice Q. Tripp, Grace D. Wilson, May S. Applegarth, Mary C. Bentley, Mary Borland, Paul A. Brisard, George W. Bunnell, Clyde S. Corrigan, Maybell Elzy, Katherine C. Felton, Oscar Gowling, Alice M. Grindley, Louise J. Hawkins, Gertrude M. Hiscoc, Ross B. Hoffman, Fred O. Johnson, Florence L. Kittredge, Charles N. Lathrop, Edmund C. Lyon, Hilma Newman, Arthur W. North, Mary Olney, Bessie M. Pennington, Carrie Reed, Mabel M. Rutherford, A. F. Schuster, Sadie A. Smith, Cora L. Swales, D. T. Thurston, G. M. Werner and Alice C. Young.

The betting on the Jackson-Corbett fight has been brisk all day, and pool-odds of 100 to 65 in favor of Jackson were freely offered and taken. It seems likely that by night they will be 2 to 1. The poolrooms on Eighth street will receive the results tonight by rounds.

The board of education has granted the following certificates to teach: Miss Emma Elzy, Miss May Roth, Miss Ellen R. Downey, Miss May Snook, Miss Josie Irving, Miss Annie L. Dolman, Miss Lillian Linby, Miss Kate A. Smyth, Miss Lillian Bergen, Miss Clara J. W. Fowler, Miss Charlotte F. Hunt, Miss Isabel M. McCracken.

The following took part yesterday in the field day exercises at St. Mary's college: C. Gibbs, R. Whitaker, J. Corbett, J. Applosser, T. Coglin, B. Smith, W. White, W. Fitzpatrick, F. Randall, H. Duffy, L. Frisbie, E. Carrigan, L. Sanchez, W. Dunn, J. Nolan and A. Murphy.

The Second Congregational church of West Oakland has issued a call to Rev. Bacon of Ferndale, Humboldt county.

Peter A. Short has been arrested in Sacramento for stealing locomotives from the Southern Pacific Company and a reward of \$2000 has been standing, the offer of the company.

The seven supreme representatives elected at the third annual session of the grand court, American Foresters, are: Lewis Thorne, S. E. Carlson, E. J. Wolfe, B. D. Hunt, W. H. M. Oge, R. B. Harmon and E. F. Johnson.

SUFFRAGE BAND HAT

One of the novelties in the men's hat stores this year is the Suffrage hat band. The dealer who will be the first to offer it for sale said that he had no visions of men standing in line waiting to have the new band adjusted to their hats, but that he hoped to sell some. One end is blue and contains five stars to indicate, like the suffrage flag, the five states which have given votes to women. It will be used on women's hats also, "and," said the hat merchant, "for trimming purposes, whatever that may mean."—New York Tribune.

MODERN AMUSEMENTS

The establishment in New York of a new place of amusement in which two persons may for \$35.10, to quote the New York Times, "have dinner, with cocktails, burgundy and liquors, not to mention pompano and duck, and supper (with 'highballs'), smoke, tip the waiter and see musical plays, ballet, burlesque and variety performances, from 6 o'clock p. m. until far into the night," moves our contemporary to recall the days when "our great-grandfathers and great-grandmothers walked from their modest homes to the Park Theater, near the City Hall, bought box seats for half a dollar, each, sat for four hours through wholesome farce, witty comedy and moving tragedy performed by the finest actors New York has ever known, and then walked home again."

It is fair to say that the Times draws no gloomy picture of the Gotham of today as a modern Gomorrah. It seems to us, however, that a comparison of the

manners of the staid and sensible of a former era with the gay and expensive side of the metropolitan life of our time is scarcely just.

Perhaps the account of an evening spent in the reckless gambling, the swilling of brandy and the occasional flourishing of pistols and knives that amused the roaring blades of a century ago would compare less favorably with the silly extravagances of our gilded youth than does the way in which decent citizens of that time enjoyed themselves. And it is certain that the manners of the average gathering of ordinary people in the theaters of today, to compare like with like, have improved mightily since the time when, as the voracious Mrs. Trollope has recorded, gentlemen removed their coats and perched themselves upon the railings of the boxes, with their backs to the stage, to converse with their ladies, while tobacco was chewed by most of the males in the house.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

MEN AND WOMEN

A Chicago publisher, W. D. Boyce, was lost while wandering about in the streets of London. After some bewilderment, a youth came up, saluted and asked if he might direct him. Mr. Boyce cheerfully accepted the service. After being helped to his destination, he tried to reward the lad, but he promptly saluted and said, "No, sir! I am a Boy Scout and Boy Scouts never accept tips." Mr. Boyce asked further information and was directed to the office of General Baden-Powell, who is the leader of the Boy Scouts in Great Britain. "Upon reaching New York," writes James E. West, executive secretary of the Boy Scouts, in "The Survey," "he gathered together a group of men and placed at their disposal \$1000 a month for four months to take the preliminary steps for the organizing of the Boy Scouts in the United

States. The idea has swept our land like wildfire, and at the present approximately 500,000 boys and 3000 men as scout masters have been enrolled in the movement."

Herr Holboell, a Danish postmaster, who has distinguished himself in the fight against tuberculosis in the Scandinavian kingdoms, has a new plan which he proposes to introduce in Sweden. He suggests, says a correspondent of "The Chicago Daily News," that "every child shall be insured immediately after its birth against tuberculosis, and if it contracts the disease before it is 18 years of age it shall be given free treatment in a sanitarium." He says that "if every father were compelled to pay a crown (27 cents) for the insurance of each of his children sufficient money would be provided to carry out the plan."

FINGER-PRINT EVIDENCE

The conviction of a burglar in General Sessions on finger-print evidence so conclusive that it forced a confession will give a new authority to this method of identifying criminals and a new impetus to its use.

In the present case, as in a notable recent trial in England, the imprint of the burglar's fingers was found on a pane of glass removed on entering the premises and the identity of the croakman immediately established by comparison with the finger-print records of the police. While the absolute accuracy of finger-print identification is not thereby demonstrated, expert evidence based on resemblances of the kind has received remarkable confirmation.

It is now about twenty years since science provided this delicate and effec-

tive clew to the detection of crime. Thumb-marks had served in lieu of signatures or to attest documents from time immemorial, and in India and China a rude form of finger-print identification has long been in use. But it was with the publication of Francis Galton's work on the subject in 1892 that its practical value in police work became apparent. Mark Twain in "Pudd'nhead Wilson" a few years later applied to fiction the method of proving guilt which has now been strikingly paralleled by fact.

Finger-print evidence is none the less essentially circumstantial and juries will be slow to convict on that ground alone. Yet an impressive example of its substantial trustworthiness is furnished by the conviction just secured.—New York World.

WHERE THEY RAISE ZEBRAS

In German East Africa, where the common mountain zebra is very plentiful, enterprising persons have established a zebra ranch, where the wild zebras captured in the rugged mountains are brought and trained to be used either in harness or to carry a man in the saddle. For many years it was supposed these beautiful animals and curiously-striped horses were unfit for anything except exhibition purposes, but recent experiments have shown that they are as easily tamed as many of the other types of wild horses.

There are but three types of zebras, and the most plentiful is known as the mountain zebra. It is this animal that is being trained for service.

Unlike the western broncho they are fairly gentle from the start, but rather dull of comprehension. They seem to be quite forgetful and it requires time to impress them with the meaning of certain training. It is difficult to get them to understand when they are required to start or stop, but after they once become familiar with the commands of their master, they are very obedient.

Little difficulty is experienced in the animals' kicking, which is a great help in their training. They seldom attempt to throw their rider, and it is said they form a very great attachment for their owners if they are used with kindness. It is thought this type of horse will in time go into general use in various parts of the world.—Los Angeles Times.

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Members.

For the purpose of conferring degrees upon a number of candidates of the Sacramento lodge, Oakland Council No. 784, Knights of Columbus, joined here by the San Francisco delegation, will leave over the Western Pacific from Third and Washington streets tomorrow morning at 8:15. The lodge members, accompanied by their wives, will travel in a special car. Tickets may be obtained on the train.

Elaborate preparations have been made by the Sacramento lodge for the entertainment of the visitors. Following is the committee in charge of the Oakland delegation: W. H. Wollard, J. J. Regney, D. Meyer and J. P. McGuire.

BIG STORE PEOPLE WILL ENJOY DANCE

Employees of Taft & Penoyer
to Hold Anniversary
Entertainment.

The seventh anniversary entertainment and dance of Taft & Penoyer Employees' Mutual Aid association will be held Monday evening, May 22, in Maple hall, Fourteenth and Webster streets. Several hundred invitations have been issued, which will be attended by the entire working staff of the company. With the co-operation of the association, the following have charge of the details: J. S. Gilmore, W. H. Thelle, George J. Levinson, G. C. Foster, H. E. Anderson, Garnet C. Brown, Mrs. Alice Towner, Miss Sallie Rutherford and Mrs. M. Harrington.

BILLIARDIST DIES.
CHICAGO, May 20.—William H. Catton, who for nearly thirty years had been a prominent figure in the billiard world, died yesterday of erysipelas.

TRANS-BAY BRIDGE WOULD HURT CITY

The Writer Thinks Enterprise
Would Transfer Terminals
to San Francisco.

Editor TRIBUNE: Is Oakland growing weary of the strategic position she occupies of being the terminal of all trans-continental and many of the local railroads? If not, why are her business men falling into the trap of transferring that terminus to the other side of the bay by means of a bridge from Oakland to San Francisco?

Fifty years ago the New York Central extended no further than Albany. Thirty-five per cent of the population of the rapidly-growing city of Albany made their living from the transfer business between the New York Central on one side of the river and the Hudson River road on the other. Every passenger and every pound of freight had to pay tribute to Albany. But the railroad people sought a franchise for a bridge. For years this was refused. At last, however, the city of Albany joined in the effort to secure a charter for a bridge, and succeeded. When the bridge was completed, all trains ran through Albany just as they ran through Padunk, Albany from that hour was simply a way station, and for twenty years the city made no growth worth speaking of.

If Oakland really wishes to commit suicide, let her transfer her great terminal system to the other side of the bay. Where, then, would rail and vessels meet? Why should we construct wharves if we plan for all trains to meet the ocean-carrying trade on the water front of our sister city?

I simply ask that someone will explain just how that bridge will benefit Oakland. Respectfully yours,
A. BURTRAGER.

"SCOTTY" DECIDES TO SHAKE NEVADA'S DUST

RENO, Nev., May 20.—Death Valley Scotty, that bulwark of notoriety of the mining world, has become discouraged with American gold fields and announces that he has decided to shift the scene of his exploring activities to South Africa, where he has many friends and where "there are millions for him."

Scotty is disappointed over his experience in Nevada. He made no rich strikes and he has fallen short on the publicity end of it. The newspapers never put him on the front page any more, he says, with pure sorrow in his tones. So he's going to quit.

Scotty says: "Watch my smoke; you'll hear from me in that far away country, and it will be hot news, too. I'm through with the alkali deserts here; me for the Boer country."

BUILDING LEAGUE CALLED TO ORDER

Delegates Gather at Stockton
Convention and Speeches
Are Heard.

STOCKTON, May 20.—The California Building and Loan League state convention opened here last night with about sixty delegates in attendance. The features of the evening were addresses by William Corbin of the Continental Building and Loan Association of San Francisco on "Building and Loan Associations in Relation to Our Public Schools," and Secretary J. L. Fields of the Building and Loan Commission, on "Building and Loan Associations—Origin, Plans and Purposes; Duties and Responsibilities of Officers and Directors."

Following are the officers of the league: President, E. S. Van Pelt of the San Joaquin Building and Loan Association, Stockton; vice-president, C. J. Wade, State Mutual Building and Loan Association, Los Angeles; secretary, H. E. Starkweather, West Shore Mutual Building and Loan Association, San Francisco; depository, Daniel Meyer Bank, San Francisco; executive committee, E. S. Van Pelt, Stockton; C. J. Wade, Los Angeles; W. S. Gould, East Oakland; George W. Lovie, Redwood City; Albert Meyer, San Francisco; L. E. Martin, Berkeley; L. A. Lancel, San Rafael. Finance Committee—Albert Meyer, San Francisco; R. R. Reading, Alameda; C. P. Hoag, Oakland.

Promotion Committee—S. W. Redden, Los Angeles; L. A. Lancel, San Rafael; J. M. Hunter, Los Angeles; C. E. Greaser, Pomona; J. H. Grady, San Francisco.

Legislative Committee—T. M. Gardner, San Francisco; C. D. Barnett, Santa Rosa; W. S. Gould, Oakland.

Legal Advisory Committee—Frank Otis, San Francisco; Oliver Ellsworth, San Francisco; L. E. Martin, Berkeley.

"OWL" KILLS MAN ON TRACK.
PORT COSTA, May 20.—The Southern Pacific "owl" train struck and killed George Hemona yesterday morning just before 7 o'clock. Frank Morris was killed here Wednesday evening.

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WATSON DOCKS IN PORT FOR REPAIRS

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The steamer Watson of the Alaska Pacific Company, is at the United Engineering Works for extensive repairs. The vessel arrived in port yesterday with her steering gear badly disabled.

Two tons of the rudder was lost and part of the steering gear. It was necessary to pump out the forward tanks and a foresail was used to help in maintaining the vessel's course. The passengers were loud in praising the manner in which the skipper handled the craft. While the Watson is out of commission the Buckman will take her place. One of the state dredgers is also at the United Engineering Works for repairs.

The steamer Capistrano left 100,000 laths at Adams' wharf yesterday for the Western Lumber Company.

These vessels tied up at Long wharf: Northfork, Captain Nelson, from Eureka, with 90,000 feet of lumber and 150,000 shingles; Carmel, Captain Hardwick, from Gray's Harbor, with 130,000 feet of lumber; Phoenix, with 67,000 feet of lumber; Hanalia, Captain Hanna, from San Pedro; Shoshone, Captain Johnson, from Gray's Harbor, with 500,000 feet of lumber.

BAPTISTS ORGANIZE YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION

RICHMOND, May 20.—The younger members of the Baptist church of Richmond have organized the Baptist Young People's Union, which will take up work similar to that of other organizations of its kind throughout the country. The new organization will hold sessions each Sunday in the church parlor, just before the regular services, and will gather in special meetings a month.

The officers are: President, Mrs. Dunlap; vice-president, Miss Anderson; secretary, Merle Jenkins; corresponding secretary, Lucille Royall; treasurer, Archie Pearson.

BAND WILL PLAY; TWO MEN WILL FLY

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A band concert is to be held in conjunction with the aviation meet at Fourth Avenue Heights tomorrow, which will be another enjoyable feature of the day's program.

Masson, in his Blériot monoplane, and Erwing, in parachute jumps, will be the aerial attractions at the meet, which will begin at 10 a. m. and be continued until 2 p. m. Erwing will give his parachute jump after Masson's first flight.

**NOEL H. JACKS TO BE
SPEAKER AT MEETING**

Mr. Noel H. Jacks of the San Francisco Young Men's Christian Association will be the speaker at the men's meeting to be held in the building of the Oakland Y. M. C. A., Twenty-first street and Telegraph avenue, Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

Jacks takes for his subject, "Essentials of a Successful Life." The Y. M. C. A. trio will furnish the music for the afternoon.

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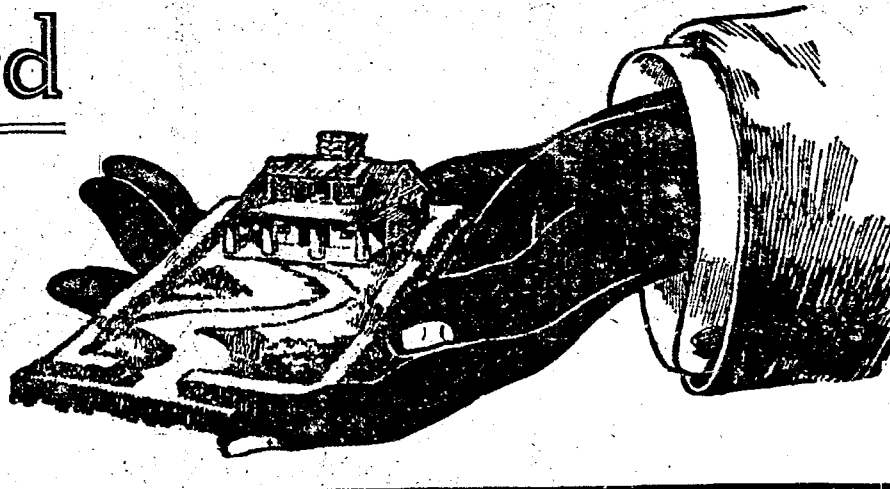
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THE MEDDLER



MISS GRACE HALEY, fiancée of Roy Folger of this city. —W. E. Dassenville, Photo.

THE most important social event of the week on this side of the bay was the wedding of Mr. James P. Kenna and Miss Charlotte Hall, which took place at the home of the bride on Thursday evening.

Both the bride and groom come from two of the most prominent families in the city. Years ago, Judge and Mrs. S. P. Hall established the home on Fourteenth street in which they have always lived, and in it the large family of children has grown up, and there have been happy days in the home for the children and their friends. Judge Hall's sister is Mrs. A. A. Moore, and the Halls and Moores, with their young people, represent some of the most prominent and influential families on this side of the bay.

One of the oldest of the East Oakland homes is that of the P. J. Kennas, and in it have grown up the young people of the Kenna family, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. Irving Burroll, Mrs. Murray Orrick and James Kenna. They all represent well-known homes, and are popular and well-loved young people. So the wedding carried with it much of special interest.

Mr. Kenna, the groom, is well established in business, and his success in life is now well assured.

And no bride could possibly have had more love about her than charming Charlotte Hall. She has been such a delightful, such an unselfish, older sister of the family that all the members of it are devoted to her; and she has been so true a friend that from all sides loving greetings poured in upon her, and the presents that came were wonderful in their beauty and number. The bride had planned a home wedding, and there were present for the most part the family connections represented by the bride and groom.

The decorations were among the most beautiful seen in any home this season. The drawing-room decorations represented the work of friends, and it was a superb study in snowballs. The wedding bower was in snowballs and lovely ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Moore of Piedmont, cousins of the bride, sent the superb roses which made a rose wedding. The rose garden of the Moores is one of the finest on this side of the bay, and the wonderful roses made a superb study in decoration for sweet Charlotte Hall's wedding.

The library was done entirely in

splendid red roses, and the living room was in pink with the most beautiful La France and Duchess roses.

The Lohengrin march which ushered in the wedding party was given by Mrs. Ames and Mrs. Rittenhouse, two young matrons for both of whom Miss Hall had been bridesmaid. Later a stringed orchestra played appropriate and delightful selections.

In the wedding party was a charming group of young girls, the daughters of the Hall family.

Little Natalie Hall led the way, a dainty flower girl, in a white lace frock, and she was followed by Priscilla and Alice Hall. Miss Ruth Hall was the maid of honor, and the bride came with her father, Judge Samuel P. Hall.

She was one of the most beautiful brides of the year, tall and stately and inexpressibly sweet—a lovely girl, looking her best in a most beautiful wedding costume. She wore a handsome Empire gown of ivory messaline, the gown embroidered in pearls and rosebuds. Fine Duchess lace trimmed the corsage, which was also embroidered in pearls. The long tulle veil was held in place with orange blossoms, and the bride's bouquet was of lilies of the valley and ferns.

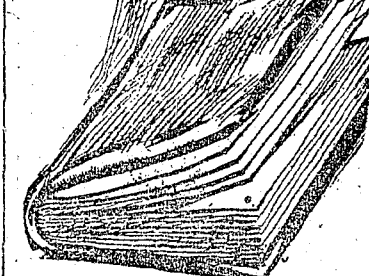
Miss Ruth Hall is like her sister, handsome and stunning, and she looked remarkably well in a lovely gown of white lace over white satin. The gown was embroidered in jewels, and she carried bridesmaid's roses.

The two dainty bridesmaids wore frocks of white lace over rose pink messaline, and they carried great bunches of pink sweet peas.

The best man was Dr. Channing Hall, a brother of the bride, and the ribbon-bearers were Chaffee Hall, Anthony Caminetti, Sherry Walker and Dr. Pepper.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Simonds, and here, as well as in every detail of the wedding, there was much sentiment. As her father took her hand to give the bride away she turned and kissed him—a symbol of the good comradeship that has always been between Judge Hall and his eldest daughter, and of the unusually deep affection existing between them.

The wedding ring belonged to the bride's grandmother, and was left to Mrs. Hall's eldest daughter. It was worn for many years by the bride's grandmother, and it now carries the



names of her grandparents—her own name—and that of Mr. Kenna.

The bride's table was a most charming study in pink, with beautiful pink roses and pink tulle. And at the table were Mr. and Mrs. James P. Kenna, the members of the wedding party, the groom's sisters and their husbands.

Mrs. Hall, who is one of our most attractive matrons, looked very handsome indeed, in a gown of satin in tones of peacock blue. It was veiled in black marquisette, most elaborately embroidered in jet. The bodice was also elaborately embroidered in jeweled ornaments.

Mrs. P. J. Kenna also looked very handsome in a gown of black satin, very beautifully trimmed in lace.

The young people were simply showered with gifts. From all classes of people they came, and some of the tributes were truly superb. A chest of silver was among the presents, much jewelry, superb cut glass, and the flat silver completely filled a large table extending entirely across one of the large rooms.

Judge and Mrs. Hall are going with their family to Felton, and on their return from their wedding trip the Kennas will occupy the Hall home on Fourteenth street until the first of August. They will then take possession of their own new home, which is being prepared for them.

Among the guests at this delightful wedding were, besides the bride and groom: Judge and Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, Misses Hall, Dr. Channing Hall, Chaffee Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Al Moore, Stanley Moore, Miss Ethel Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John Valentine, Jack and Jill Valentine, Miss Margaret Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Walter and their children, Mrs. P. G. Kenna, Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Burroll, Mrs. Murray Orrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Rittenhouse,

Miss Muriel Steele, Miss Elsie Ames, Miss Olga Hochstein, Mr. Anthony Caminetti, Mr. Sherry Walker, Doctor Pepper, Rev. and Mrs. William Simonds.

SOCIETY TO LOSE PROMINENT PERSONS.

The many friends of the Kenna family in this city are sorry to hear that Mrs. Kenna and the Murray Orricks are leaving for Salt Lake City, where they are to establish their permanent home. Mr. Orrick has accepted an important position in the electrical works there, and has already taken his departure. Mrs. Murray Orrick and her mother, Mrs. Kenna, are closing their home here, and will go to Salt Lake in a few days.

Mrs. Kenna is a prominent member of the Thursday Whist Club, and she has many old time friends, and Mrs. Murray Orrick, who was Ada Kenna, is one of the most popular of the younger matrons. So this departure to Salt Lake is greatly regretted by many friends and relatives.

ANNUAL BREAKFAST OF HOME CLUB.

The Home Club is acknowledged to have one of the most beautiful club houses in the State, of exceedingly artistic architecture, and commanding one of the finest and most inspiring scenic views. It was at its best on Thursday, in honor of the annual breakfast of the club, and the breakfast and large reception which followed marked one of the most delightful social dates of the year. There were many visitors from Oakland, Berkeley, and Alameda, and many prominent women from other clubs were in attendance. The approach to the Home Club is of rare beauty in the spring, and the main avenue takes its way through the wilderness of lovely Cecil Bruner roses, all in bloom. The decorations of the Home Club were most effectively planned, and the environment was rarely beautiful. The luncheon and the reception which followed it were most elaborately planned, and the affair was one of the happiest that has been planned in many months by any club around the bay.

The color tone of the decorations was pink, and the scheme was carried out in quantities of lovely sweet peas, and beautiful pink roses. A stringed orchestra played most

lightful music both for the breakfast and for the reception which followed it.

Mrs. Harris Cebert Capwell, the president of the Home Club, presided at the luncheon, and received many guests at the reception which followed later in the day. Mrs. Capwell's broad policy has had its effect, and it is evident in the prosperity which crowns the work of the club. Mrs. Capwell begins the year under the most favorable auspices, and the Home Club ranks high in the history of club work on this coast.

At the luncheon only members of the club were present, and the directors of the Mary R. Smith Trust Fund were the guests of honor. The Home Club was one of the late Mrs. Smith's successful experiments, and the beautiful building stands as a fitting memorial to her, crowning the hill slopes on which are scattered the homes which she so nobly founded for girls. All her plans are being faithfully carried out, and Mr. Smith is much interested in the success of the club work. At the table among the guests of honor were the trustees of the Cottage system, among whom are: Mrs. F. M. Smith, Miss Grace Sperry, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. John Louis Lohse, Mrs. R. H. Chamberlain, Miss Emma Wellman, Mrs. J. K. McLean, Miss Alexander, Doctor Buckel.

Very elaborate refreshments were served during the afternoon, and tables were arranged on the wide verandas for those who preferred the picturesque al fresco effect. It was a beautiful day in the heart of the hills, and the club reception lent itself to a series of pictures that were charming.

Mrs. Capwell, who received the guests, wore an exceedingly beautiful gown of black net over liberty satin, the gown completely covered with beautiful hand embroidery in jet, and lighted with iridescent trimming. It was an elaborate, extremely effective and very handsome gown. Among the guests was Mrs. Pond, president of the Laurel Hall Club of San Francisco. Mrs. Pond was a very stunning study in Alice blue. Her gown of blue chiffon was beautifully trimmed in lace, and she wore a wide hat, in Alice blue tones, with blue ostrich plumes.

Mrs. Edwin Morrison, who received with Mrs. Capwell, wore a handsome gown in old rose tones, the gown most attractively trimmed in lace. Mrs. Gordon Stolp wore a hand-

some gown of white serge trimmed in lace, with a lavender hat trimmed in lavender plumes.

Mrs. Henry D. Bull was very stunning in a gown of black lace, with which she wore a wide hat lined with old rose. American Beauty roses added a picturesque touch to a most effective costume.

Among the guests was Mrs. Frank K. Mott, who is most charming to every one. She has delightful ways, and is very cultured and most interesting. Mrs. Mott wore an attractive costume in tones of black and white.

Among the handsome gowns of the afternoon were those worn by:

Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. A. H. Glascock, Mrs. Charles Snook, Mrs. H. Wilson, Miss Ethel Johnson, Mrs. W. W. Crane, Mrs. Granville Shuey, Miss Marion Ellis, Mrs. Henry Wadsworth, Mrs. Arthur Breed, Mrs. A. L. Adams, Mrs. D. H. Mathes, Mrs. Franklin Bangs, Mrs. R. H. Chamberlain.

There were over 300 guests at the reception, which was one of the most elaborate of the season.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING FOR VACATION?

Where are you going this summer? Is the question one hears most often now-a-days. It takes precedence over our remarks concerning the weather, and our questions in regard to each other's health.

For in the good old summer time most people plan a holiday, and the change of scene, of environment, is of itself a rest.

Country homes are rapidly growing all over the land, and if one has not a suburban residence of one's own, there is always a welcome in the home of a friend. It takes tact to be a good hostess in a country home. One must know when to leave the guests to themselves, as well as how to provide amusement. The most tiresome hostess in the world is the woman who worries about her guests, who never appreciates the fact that they might want to be alone at least a part of the day. In England, where entertaining reaches its highest development, a hostess is never in evidence before noon. The most tiresome of guests is the one who is always in evidence, and who does not give her hostess time to see that the domestic wheels go round properly.

Some bright young girls are deservedly very popular as summer guests, for a young girl, with young enthusiasms is very charming; she can do so much for her hostess by being bright

and entertaining, and in taking other guests off her hands.

For guests have a way of dividing themselves into two classes. In one of them are ranged the people we ask because we want to ask them, and in the other are the people whom we are obliged, for various reasons, to ask. They are the people who are most difficult to entertain, and the ones who sometimes make life a burden for the mistress of a country home. One must be philosophical in the country in order to be happy. The domestic question is an ever insistent one, and the guest that is helpful, who does not exact much in the way of personal service, is the one who is welcome another time.

Though it is early in the season, already summer dates are being made up. For if we could have the guests we most prefer, we must ask them early in the season. The popular girl has already many dates for the season, and the country homes bid fair this year to be overflowing with guests.

Oakland people have largely established a precedent in living many months of the year in their country places, and in some instances the country homes are kept open all the year round, for we are just beginning to realize all the charm of a winter in the mountains.

The largest country homes are in the East, and of the first of the Californians to open an Eastern home this season will be the Frank C. Havens.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havens are closing "Wildwood" for the summer, and it will not be opened again until the autumn. Mrs. Havens' home has been an inspiration to many people, an object lesson along high and very noble ideals.

Very few people could achieve anything so successful, in such a superb way, but many homesteaders brought away valuable ideas from Mrs. Havens' reception at "Wildwood."

The Sag Harbor home flings out its banner of hospitality, and the same welcome awaits friends there that one finds at "Wildwood." Mr. Havens was born at Sag Harbor, and he loves the sea. The house is built on the ocean shore, and the view from the many bay windows is indescribably lovely.

Yachting is one of the main amusement in the summer holiday time on the shores of New York, and Mr. Havens' yacht is beautifully equipped. Automobile drives through the mountains are of special interest, and

MISS MARY KEENEY of San Francisco, well known in this city, where she will visit. —Frances Brugliere, Photo.

SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK



MISS EDITH METCALF, a belle much entertained on both sides of the bay.
—Bushnell, Photo.



MISS CORINNE JONAS of this city, who announced her engagement today to Morris Goldtree.
—Scharz, Photo.

the woods in autumn, the coloring is simply superb, for they are dappled in a riot of gold, of yellows, of flaming reds.

In spite of the heat, the East has much to offer the dweller in the country in the summer time.

The summer home of the F. M. Smiths, on Shelter Island, has a French name, "Pres de l'Eau," which means "near the water," and it deserves its name, for it is built very close to the shore line. Shelter Island has many fashionable hotels, one of them the "Manhanset House" being always full of notable people. "Pres de l'Eau" is very different from Arbor Villa, and it shows a rustic style of architecture that is very fascinating. Mr. Smith is very fond of yachting, and the tale is still told in the family of how the King's cup was won by the Smith yacht "Haoili." Mr. Smith has many kinds of boats on Shelter Island, and the family spends a great deal of time on the water.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton Lynch (Lucy Moffitt) have a lovely country place at Ridgefield, Connecticut, and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Cunningham (Stephani Whitney) spend a great deal of time at Litchfield.

The Emory Winships (Katharine Dillon) have a superb country place in Georgia, and the Harden Crawfords (Annie Clay) have a fine summer home at Seabright, on the New Jersey coast.

"Rosecliff," one of the most superb of the Newport villas is owned by Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, and Mrs. William Vanderbilt (Virginia Fair) is building one of the most magnificent country homes on Long Island.

SIERRAS SEND OUT "CALL OF THE WILD."

The Sierras, in their rugged beauty, send out a real "call of the wild," but because of the snow, the summer holidays begin there later than on the coast.

In the heart of the great Yosemite Valley is the Jorgenson home, and Mrs. Jorgenson (Angela Ghirardelli) entertains many guests each year, among them her niece, Miss Carmen Sutton, and the latter's young girl friends.

In the Sierras also is the summer home of the E. G. Lukens, and all through the season it is full of guests. A merry party is often made up of the Warren Palmers, the Jesse McNeans, Mrs. Bromwell, and the Francis Russers.

The Frank Woodwards have a country home at Alta, and the shores of Lake Tahoe and dotted with suburban places. The James Moffitts have a country home there, and a very picturesque place is owned by Mrs. Harold Spence Black, who was formerly Mrs. Orestes Pierce. She often has as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Fred Magee.

Mrs. Hearst is not going to the McCloud River this year, so "Wynton" is closed for the summer, and "The Bend" at the McCloud, owned by the Wheelers, will also be closed this season, as the Wheelers have gone to Europe.

The Thomas Williams will, as usual, open "Fortune Teller Camp" on the McCloud, and Mrs. E. L. G. Steele and Miss Muriel Steele will be among their guests for the summer.

COUNTRY HOMES NEAR AT HAND.

For our own immediate neighborhood are country places of interest. Last year the Frederick Strattons purchased a most picturesque ranch near the quaint little Contra Costa town of Alamo. The latter nestles at the base of towering Diablo, and the climate is perfect, and the hill view of much loveliness.

"El Nido," the home of the Stolps, is in Contra Costa county, and there also the Doughertys have developed a very attractive country place.

The Charles Rodolphs go every week end to their ranch near Livermore, and Mrs. Rodolph recently entertained twelve guests at a most delightful house party.

The A. A. Moores have a large ranch at Mission San Jose, where Mr. Moore often goes for a week-end rest. A fine residence is on the ranch, and good roads run through it, and there is a swimming pool, in which all the children have learned to swim. The little grand-children of the Moores have had ideal holidays in the ranch at Mission San Jose. The Victor Metcalfs have also a ranch near by, and the Gallegos ranch carries out all the traditions which made Spanish hospitality so famous in the pioneer days of the State.

COUNTRY PLACES OWNED BY OAKLANDERS.

Beginning with Los Gatos and all the way to Santa Cruz, one finds a long line of summer homes, all owned by Oakland people.

A short way out of Los Gatos, is

"Tres Encinas," the country home of the E. H. Kittredges. They spend the winter at the Fairmont, and the summer at "Tres Encinas," in which Mrs. Kittredge makes many guests welcome each year.

The Samuel Halls were among the pioneers who discovered the charm of summer life in the Santa Cruz mountains, for, for years now, they have gone to their place at Felton. They plan life along simple lines, live mostly in the great out-doors, and the home is always filled quite to the brim with friends of the young daughters of the family.

The Guy Earls have a delightful home in the Santa Cruz mountains, and Mrs. Earl has one of the most picturesque gardens to be found in all the mountain side.

The Frank L. Browns built a suburban home last year at Ben Lomond, and the William Whites are her guests for part of each summer.

The H. C. Capwells purchased the Frank Woodward place at Brookdale and they have made elaborate improvements upon it. A dancing platform has been built, and it has been made into one of the most pretentious homes in that section of the Santa Cruz mountains.

Mr. Capwell and his son will make week-end visits this summer, but Mrs. Capwell will not formally open the home this season, as she leaves, in the near future, with her daughters for Europe.

Mrs. George Porter Baldwin (Florence Edoff) will arrive from the East in the near future, and she will spend the summer in California. She will open the summer home of the Edoffs at Boulder Creek, where the family is planning to spend a large part of the season.

Among those who will entertain guests this summer in their country homes in the Santa Cruz mountains are:

Mrs. Arthur Holland, Mrs. J. C. McMullen, Mrs. Dudley Kinsell, Mrs. Edgar Bishop, Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mrs. William High, Mrs. Albert Long, Mrs. Samuel Hall, Mrs. John Francis Smith, Mrs. Albert A. Long, Mrs. Pollard, Mrs. Irving Lundborg, Mrs. Wallace Alexander, Mrs. Lloyd Rawlings, Mrs. O. S. Orick, Mrs. Frank Brigham, Mrs. Robert Knight.

ATTRACTIVE HOMES IN MARIN COUNTY.

Following the line of railroads from the other side of the bay are many hospitable homes in which Oakland people make friends welcome. In Mill Valley, the James Costigans have a very attractive country place—"Jimbelt Lodge," just across the creek from the Blithedale Hotel. The Ritchie Dunns spend part of the summer with them, and Mrs. Costigan has always a great many guests from Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sherry are

spending the summer at Mill Valley where they have a cottage, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Adams (Hazel Curtis) are so fond of their Belvedere home that they spend the greater part of the year there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson (Bernice Landers), who have made their home for so many years in Los Angeles, are planning to spend the summer in Mill Valley.

Miss Eleanor Landers, who has been very ill for many weeks, is rapidly recovering, and is planning to spend some time with her sister in Mill Valley.

The H. M. A. Millers and the C. O. G. Millers have each a country place at Ross Valley, and as the family connection on this side of the bay of the Millers is a large one, Oakland people are often entertained by them.

Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard has a large country home at Inverness, and here also are the summer homes of the George Dornins and the Hugh Craigs.

The Walter Scotts spend many weeks of each year on the Russian river, and "Eagle's Nest" is one of the most perfectly equipped camps in that section of the State.

Oakland people have surely captured "McCray's," for over fifty Oakland families were there at one time recently. Among the first to leave for "McCray's" this season, will be Mrs. William Veitch and her sons.

MRS. CHABOT TO CLOSE TOWN HOUSE.

Mrs. Remi Chabot is planning to close her house in town, and to go to St. Helena, where she will spend the next three months. Mrs. J. P. Dunn and her children will accompany Mrs. Chabot. "Villaremi," the country home of Mrs. Chabot, is always full of guests. There is a large family connection, and the Chabots are exceedingly fond of their friends, and share their home in a most generous fashion.

When the Tobins return from Europe they are planning to open their country home at Saratoga, and they have as their guests for part of each summer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee Jr.

MRS. JOHN HEATH AT PALO ALTO.

Mrs. John Heath and her son, John Heath Jr., have established a most hospitable home at Palo Alto, where they will probably live while the latter is completing his course at Stanford.

Miss Constance Meeks is often her sister's guest at Palo Alto, and this week Jack Heath has Dalliba Thom-

son as his guest over Commencement week.

BELLS HAVE HOME IN SANTA BARBARA.

The Harmon Bells have built a delightful country home in Santa Barbara, that quaint city of the padres, and the Traylor Bells are building a charming bungalow in Sunol. In Sunol are the summer places of the Hugh and the Thomas Hogans, and in the high range of hills, looking off towards Pleasanton and Diablo, the Abe Leaches and the Mehrmanns have built unique residences. There are really two homes, but joined together by a large community hall, and the families propose to live there all the year around, the men coming down to business every day.

CHARM OF THE GREAT DESERT.

There are those who love change, and who care to go to a different place each year. And, indeed, distant places grow ever easier of access. Mr. H. C. Taft and Mr. Joseph Carlston are due to arrive in Italy next week, having gone to Europe by way of the Mediterranean trip. And one hears it is a very fascinating way to enter Europe. On their way to Naples they will stop at Algiers, that colorful land, which Hichens has made so memorable in his famous book, "The Garden of Allah." The desert is very fascinating, and Algiers takes one straight to the gate of it. Nance O'Neill, the now famous actress is exceedingly fond of the desert. She has lived in the Nubian Desert and in Algiers, and she says of the latter:

"In Algiers there was a most wonderful house with a terraced garden. I used to walk through the garden at sunset, and the coloring of the garden was intense. Back of it was the line of the Atlas Mountains, and through a great cleft every evening a train went through to the desert. It was so fascinating, that I would come every evening to watch the train pass into the desert."

Perhaps Mr. Carlston and Mr. Taft will meet the Tobins and the Tom Magees in Algiers, for they are scheduled for an automobile trip in that fascinating country.

Mr. Carlston and Mr. Taft have arranged a most interesting itinerary. They will land at Naples, but on account of the hot weather they will not remain long in Italy. Switzerland, Paris, and London are included in their itinerary, and as Mr. Taft has spent months abroad, and been many times to Europe, their trip will surely prove to be a most profitable one.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard Smith will leave for the East the mid-

die of June, and will sail for Europe from New York. They will spend the late summer and part of the autumn in a well planned tour of the continent.

Meantime other prominent families have settled their plans for the summer. The Edward Walshes will go to the high Sierras. They usually go to Applegate, but they have chosen to go to higher altitudes this year.

Among the Oakland contingent at Santa Barbara will be Mrs. Isaac Requa, General and Mrs. Oscar Long, the Misses Long, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Requa, the Misses Requa, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Henshaw, Miss Henshaw, Miss Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chickering.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Miss Grace Haley, whose picture appears in tonight's Meddler, is the fiancée of Roy Folger of this city, and has many friends here.

Miss Mary Keeney is a San Francisco belle who visits here frequently. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Keeney, and is prominent in the social set in the bay region.

Miss Edith Metcalf is the daughter of John Metcalf and has a host of friends here who entertain her.

Miss Corinne Jonas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Jonas, old and prominent residents of this city. Miss Jonas announced her engagement today to Morris Goldtree of San Francisco, and her friends are overwhelming her with good wishes. She will give a large reception on May 28 at the family home on Twenty-eighth street.

MCNEARS TO BE AT PORT COSTA.

The McNears spend part of each summer at Port Costa, where they have large business interests. They have a cottage there and many pleasant afternoons are spent in their launch, in the beautiful Straits of Carquinez.

ANNUAL BREAKFAST OF Y. W. C. A.

Much interest is being felt in Y. W. C. A. circles in the approaching May morning breakfast, an annual event of this organization, to be given on Thursday, May twenty-fifth, from seven until two o'clock in the grounds of the Administration building, at Fourteenth and Castro streets. Among the ladies interested are: Miss Ethel Olney, Mrs. A. C. Posey, Miss Eva Powell, Mrs. C. W. Kellogg, Miss Alice Flint, Mrs. Arthur Moore, Mrs. F. M. Hurd, Mrs. Lebensaler, Mrs. E. H.

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HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME

Divorced, Separated and Still They're Lovers

NEW YORK.—There's an ocean between 'em and a suit for limited divorce pending between 'em, and yet there is no difference existing between 'em at all, as they both—Archibald S. White, a wealthy broker and promoter of New York and Cincinnati, and his wife, Olive Celeste Moore White, a former star in comic opera—smilingly asserted just before the attractive and handsomely gowned Mrs. White sailed away for England's shores.

The public has come to know from time to time of many queer domestic disruptions; odd causes for quarreling and separating, and just stony-eyed agreements to disagree.

But this White affair is unique surely, which finds husband and wife at parting praising one another to the skies to everybody else; that disclosed them seated with merry smiles at a banquet at the Plaza, the husband host and his wife guest of honor; that discovered Mr. White yesterday on the deck of the Mauretania, leading his wife with great clusters of flowers and tender kisses, and standing later on the pier gallantly waving his hat and wishing her "bon voyage" in most heartfelt fashion, and all the while the papers in their divorce suit filed in Cincinnati in which an august judge is prayerfully petitioned to part this loving pair.

The divorce suit is no joke, mind you. They want it. Loving each other, admiring each other, yet they want that divorce.

It's the ocean that is to blame—the ocean that Mrs. White is now putting between herself and the husband of whom she publicly says: "Not only by name, but in nature and habit, he is white and has always been so to me."

"Our whole trouble," continued Mrs. White, "lies in the fact that I will not—perhaps I should say cannot—live in Cincinnati. I want a more artistic atmosphere such as I am sure of in London and Paris, where I have many friends. I want to travel. Life is not worth living for me in Cincinnati, despite the fact of the society of my husband."

After the Mauretania had swung out into the river Mr. White stopped awhile to say nice things to the reporters about the wife who is leaving him.

"Can't folks be friends—though divorced?" demanded that gentleman with a big bursting laugh. "We'll always be as good friends as we are now. It was just like her to say that about me being 'white all over'—just like her. It's only a difference in temperament not of temper that is putting us apart—she all for the artistic; me, commercialism, and both of us vicious natures. She's got to live her life; I mine. We don't want."

"No; it wasn't a reconciliation dinner I gave in her honor the other night. I was just a little farwelled compliment to her and we wanted the friends we cared about to see for themselves just how we stood toward each other. No man ever loved a better, sweeter woman."

Beauty Wants Freedom



MRS. HUGH CORBY FOX, who has sued for divorce.

Mrs. Hugh Corby Fox, whose suit for a divorce was recently withdrawn, was a noted Kentucky beauty. Her name was Marguerite Hitt. She separated from her husband in January and took with her her only son. Her husband is a millionaire who formerly lived in St. Louis, but who is now residing in New York, where both he and his wife are well known socially. Mrs. Fox declined to give any details concerning her divorce suit, but described her matrimonial experiences as "wretched." It was rumored that the young couple may be reunited, but this has not yet been confirmed.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

GAYNOR FAMILY HAS ELOPING HABIT

Mayor's Eldest Daughter Weds in Haste; Official Hears of it Later.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Miss Emily Gaynor, the eldest daughter of Mayor Gaynor, was married in Wilmington, Del., to William S. Webb, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. William Seward Webb of 680 Fifth Avenue. The young couple arranged to be married last night. The mayor did not know of it until he was informed by the bride over a telephone last night.

Miss Gaynor and young Webb ran down to Wilmington with some friends, were married in a church and came back to town last night.

Gertrude Gaynor is the third of the mayor's children to elope. Rufus W. Gaynor ran away with Maria Gluff, a daughter of a barber of New London, Conn., and on December 10, 1908, was married in Chicago. She gave her name then as May Queen. Rufus discovered after she had been in Chicago, and a year afterward the marriage was annulled.

A little less than a year ago Edith Gaynor, the second daughter of the mayor, was married in Wilmington, Del., to Harry K. Vingt, a New York broker.

This, too, was a clandestine affair, and was held in the office of Attorney-General Gray. The mayor knew that the couple were engaged, but was not tipped off about the marriage.

He Kissed Mary

LOS ANGELES, May 20.—Charles F. Lumis and Mary Garden—furnished a startling climax at a "Garden" party and dinner given by the Gamut club in honor of the genius of the opera. Lumis is just back from an archaeological trip to Guatemala, and was hardly expected to be in hand. The hostess saw him in the audience and called him to the speaker's table.

"I long ago discovered California was not the Garden of Eden," said Lumis, as he advanced to the speaker's table. "I hope to get so near the Eden of Garden."

He stepped beside her and as the applause subsided asked Mary to let him hold her hand. She did so, and he held it a considerable time and recited a poem. Then he kissed the hand. Mary seemed to like it. Grasping Lumis' hands she drew him toward her, and he held her in his arms. She then kissed him appreciatively. After the public kissing match Miss Garden sang "Coming Through the Rye."

AT THE RAYMOND MAY 20.—Mary Garden, the great operatic singer, arrived in Santa Barbara just at sunset last evening, coming up from Los Angeles by automobile. Miss Garden came here for local color, as the scenes of "Nabucca" are laid in Santa Barbara.

When she stepped on the stone court of the old mission, she was deeply affected and exclaimed, "Why, this is familiar." This scene has been perfectly reproduced in "Nabucca." She left the church reluctantly to be taken to the De la Guerra mansion and then to the beach to see across the channel to Santa Cruz Island, the opening scene of the opera.

Americans Shine

LONDON, May 20.—The court ball at Buckingham palace last night in honor of the Kaiser was a magnificent affair. The American women appeared to splendid advantage. There was a large contingent of Americans, including Miss Mabel Choate, daughter of former Ambassador Choate.

Among its most striking dresses was that of the duchess of Roxburghe (May Queen), who wore a silver tulle, with heavy embroidery. She wore a magnificent all-around tiara of pear shaped diamonds and a high collar necklace composed of three huge diamond medals. The center of her forehead was suspended an enormous pear-shaped emerald.

Mrs. Cecil Bingham (formerly Chauncey) wore a pale yellow satin gown, with coat of gold lace.

Mrs. Ava Astor had a silver cloth, fitting her figure like a glove and only just open in wide tabs at the feet. The effect was beautiful and the idea was most daring. There were amber trimmings at the edge of her very low bodice. She wore a diamond and pearl tiara of unique design in her hair.

Queen Mary and the Empress Augusta Victoria and all the other noblewomen wore lavish displays of jewelry.

Emperor William took as his partner Queen Mary and King George took the Princess Victoria Louise.

Lillian in Vaudeville

NEW YORK, May 20.—Lillian Russell, the famous beauty and comic opera star, is going to appear in vaudeville. Percy G. Williams has signed a contract with the fair Lillian and those of the inside of things theatrical declare that the figures are startling. To be exact, Miss Russell will make at least \$20 a minute for twenty minutes work each day.

She will be at the Colonial theater in the week beginning June 5. This will be her only New York engagement prior to resting for the summer and preparing for her re-entrance into the operatic field.

Her offering will include Longfellow's "Boy" and "The Brook," "I've Something Sweet to Tell," "Eaten Fanning," and "Come Down, My Evening Star."

Sues for \$25,000

SAN JOSE, May 20.—The question of whether or not a man is entitled under the law to sue for damages covering the loss of a minor child upon whom she relied for support was argued at length yesterday morning before Judge J. B. Richards of the superior court and submitted.

The action is one brought some time ago by Mrs. Honora J. Wooster against the Western Expanded Metal & Fireproofing Company, in which she demands \$25,000 as damages resulting from the death of her son, Edgar E. Wooster, when he fell from the seventh story of the First National Bank building in this city on February 17 last year.

Wooster was 19 years old. He was a carpenter's apprentice and was about

New Yorker Became Miser For Love

NEW YORK.—Unable to marry the girl he loved because he lacked wealth, Duncan J. MacRae, an architect, determined fifty years ago to devote his life to making money. At the age of thirty he gave up all social pleasures and became a miser.

By shrewd dealing and denying himself every comfort he accumulated a fortune. But the loneliness that came in later years could not be dispelled even by the thought of the gold he worshipped. He was found dead in his dirty little room at No. 23 Dominick street. A rubber tube leading from a gas jet to his mouth told the story of suicide.

Though he had lived in the house four months none of the other lodgers had seen him. The landlady, Mrs. Christopher Brennan, saw him once a month, on rent day. He paid \$6 a month for his room, rather than \$1.50 a week, the regular price, as he figured a saving in this way.

WORE RUSTY "SUNDAY BEST."

When Patrolman Boyle of the Macdougall street station broke into the room he found the aged man dressed in his Sunday suit, originally black, but rusty from wear.

MacRae had left no note. The police discovered a trunkful of old letters. One was from Herbert L. Satterlee, lawyer, of No. 130 Broadway; another from Edwin B. Hooley of No. 15 Broad street, MacRae's broker.

Satterlee's letter was one of thanks to MacRae for sending a lamp to him. Hooley wrote that MacRae had a balance of \$112.53 at the Broad street office.

Hooley said that MacRae had been doing business with him for twelve

Oil King's Wife ATTACKED IN COURT As Blackmailer

NEW YORK.—An affidavit, the contents of which were not made public, abruptly halted all proceedings in the case of Ray E. Pierce, son of Henry Clay Pierce of the Standard Oil Company, who is suing his wife for an annulment of their marriage.

Young Pierce says he was duped when he wed her. The document, which was handed to Justice Morschauser in the Supreme Court at Mount Vernon by Parker, Hatch & Sheehan, counsel for young Pierce, caused the judge to open his eyes in evident astonishment.

"This affidavit," said the court to Joseph H. Hickey, Mrs. Pierce's counsel, "asserts that the defendant is a bad woman who has been practicing blackmail. If the affidavit is true, then she is very bad. I will give you a chance to disprove these charges. This affidavit is a terrible arraignment against her. I will allow you to answer it."

It also was charged in court that Mrs. Pierce requested several persons, mentioned in the affidavit, to keep quiet because she had a "live wire." Counsel for the plaintiff said that Mrs. Pierce at the time she swore to an affidavit in obtaining the marriage license at New York City Hall said she was 28 years old, unmarried, and a resident of No. 554 Newberry street, Boston, Mass.

"She gave her name as Beatrice Perry," said the lawyer, "which was an assumed name."

NOW COMES THE HOOP SLEEVE

PARIS.—The latest Parisian fashion freak is the "hoop sleeve." The hoop is placed at the middle of the forearm, and its diameter is seven inches. The sleeve is drawn in at the wrist and elbow.

The harem skirt was hooted whenever it appeared publicly in the European capitals, and Paris, which ordinarily becomes accustomed quickly to the most fantastic apparel, refused to accept it.

The failure of the garment to appear at the fashionable race courses on Sunday aroused wide comment. A few women seeking to attract attention occasionally wear it at a roller rink or in a

years buying stocks and always paying cash. He never sold any through that office.

As only 41 cents was found in the room and no bankbook was discovered, it is believed MacRae had a safety deposit box or a private hiding place for his money and stocks.

Before he went to the Brennan house MacRae lived in the home of Mrs. Jennie Monahan at No. 3 Dominick street. The building was torn down about six months ago. Because MacRae would not let anyone clean his room Mrs. Monahan did not take him in at her

present home, No. 124 Varick street. She had little trouble getting rid of him. She simply told him the rent would be higher in his new home and as MacRae contended that the best room in the world wasn't worth more than \$1.50 a week he departed.

"Poor old man," said Mrs. Monahan when informed of the death. "He was a gentleman through and through. One day he mentioned a newspaper article about the Belmonts. 'I knew them well in the old days,' he said. 'They certainly got rich fast. They probably don't remember me now.'"

MRS. MEDILL McCORMICK ADVERTISES FOR BOARDERS

WASHINGTON.—Mrs. Medill McCormick, daughter of the late Senator Mark A. Hanna, young, beautiful and wedded to a multi-millionaire, is advertising for boarders.

Mrs. McCormick's pet project, the model lodging houses for working women, opened its doors today, and she did the honors of the establishment with eagerness.

The house, now remodeled, has been famous in the annals of Washington society and was last occupied by Mrs. Van Rensselaer Cruger, the novelist, who entertained frequently. It is surrounded by old-fashioned gardens.

The lodging house will not be run on a charity plan, and Mrs. McCormick has such faith in its success that she confidently predicts she can make from 3 to 5 per cent.

The boarders will not be under any rules or regulations. The house will be run on the plan of a comfortable club, and they may even have their own officers. There is room for thirty-three persons.

Mrs. McCormick has given much of her time to sociological work in Chicago and was the prime mover in the organization of the women's welfare department of the National Civic Federation.

CHASES MASHER; BREAKS LEG :

NEENAH, Wis.—After being accosted by a stranger and stabbed him with a hatpin, Miss Henrietta Deguire, a local society girl, forgetting she had on a new and very snug Easter hobbie skirt, chased the man when he ran, tripped in turning a corner and fell, breaking her right arm.

"Hello, Cutey," accosted the masher as Miss Deguire was returning home from church. "You're looking high pert this morning, but you shouldn't be strolling alone."

With which he proceeded to join her. The girl's eyes flashed. Up went her hand to her new Easter hat. Down came a very sharp pin, and into her would-be escort's body she jabbed it several times.

He howled with pain and ran. Miss Deguire after him. Around a corner he went. She tried to follow. Then that hobbie—kerplunk! Down she went.

When she reached home a physician who was called said the fall had fractured her arm.

THE MEDDLER:

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Vance, Mrs. Aleck Stewart, Mrs. J. B. Richardson.

Mrs. Alberta Higgins has sent out invitations for a large card party on June third in honor of Miss Almee Jorgenson. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins are occupying the home of Mrs. George W. Percy during the latter's absence in Europe. Mrs. Higgins entertained the Daughters of the Revolution on Thursday of this week at her home.

E. BENJAMIN TO TOUR THE EAST.

Mr. Edward Benjamin and his daughter, Miss Edith Benjamin, left this week for New York City, and they expect to be away two months.

SEVEN WONDERS OF THE WORLD.

I. Woman.
II. Woman.
III. Woman.
IV. Woman.
V. Woman.
VI. Woman.
VII. Woman.

—Puck.

Howard Sargeant, yell leader of the Oakland High School.

Howard Sargeant, one of the students in the junior class of the Oakland High School, is a candidate to succeed himself as yell leader of the school during the next semester. He is said to be slated for re-election. The semi-annual election of officers of the Athletic Association of the high school will be held next Thursday.

THEATRICAL MAN DEAD.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—Patrick Short, manager of the Century and Olympic theaters, died this evening from pneumonia. Mr. Short had been in the theatrical business since 1889.

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The official slate has been announced as follows: President student body, Franz Carson; Bruce Dixon, Hugh Fulton, financial manager, Harold Trask; editor of the Scriber, George Krause; manager Scriber, Walter Dean; first associate, Gladys McKinnon; Jeanette Selfridge; secretary, Edna Stitt, Edna Roubin.

There is no candidate for the office of auditor in the field.

The election board is composed of the following: George Ejeite, Ruth Dunning, Hugh Fulton, Herman Guenwood and Louise Eschbacher.

SOCIETY

MISS Corinne Jonas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham H. Jonas, old residents of this city, has announced her engagement to Morris Goldstone of San Francisco, and the news is being received with much surprise by her many friends here.

Miss Jonas is very talented and is noted for her personal charm. She has been much entertained about the bay.

The family home on Twenty-eighth street will be the setting for a large reception which will be given on Sunday, May 28, when many friends will call between the hours of 2 and 5. The date of the wedding has not been set, and meanwhile the bride-elect will be made the inspiration for numerous complimentary affairs in this city and San Francisco.

TEAS AT PALACE YESTERDAY.

The Palace Hotel yesterday was the scene of many parties of smart folk, who, gowned in charming frocks, entertained their friends at numerous small tea parties.

Among the Oakland hostesses was Mrs. H. A. Mosher, whose table was decorated in bright yellow and purple tins.

Among the smartly gowned folk among the guests were:

Mesdames Wickham Havens, William Ede, George Q. Chace, Homer Boushey, Churchill Taylor, George Wilhelms, Charles Bates Jr., Kenneth E. Lowden, Willard Williamson, Geo. Bancroft and Frank Lucas.

TO RETURN TO OAKLAND.

Miss Elizabeth Simpson, who has been abroad for two years studying music, will be welcomed to Oakland early in August. She is an organist who has been accorded high honors in Europe, and has been the assistant to Egbert Swayne, the noted Parisian instructor.

WEEK-END PARTIES.

A number of the local smart set will be included among the guests whom Dr. and Mrs. Harry Alderson will entertain at the series of week-end house parties which they are planning to give during the summer at their country home place in the Santa Cruz mountains. Dr. and Mrs. Alderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bishop will spend much of the season at their out-of-town home. Mrs. Alderson was formerly Miss Cordia Bishop, one of the best liked girls in the local smart set. Since her marriage she has made her home across the bay.

LUNCHEON AND BRIDGE.

Mrs. Roy Baker will be the guest of honor at a luncheon and afternoon at bridge for which Miss Edith Porter has sent out cards for Friday, May 26, asking friends to share the hospitality of her Alameda home. Mrs. Baker was formerly Miss Hazel Burpee, her wedding taking place this spring, since when she has been the motif for a procession of affairs.

LUNCHEON NEXT WEEK.

A luncheon will be given at the Hotel Shattuck, Berkeley, Thursday afternoon, when Miss Beryl Burke makes Miss Ethel Louise Perry the guest of honor. A number of the girls of the

smart set are asked to enjoy the affair, which will be concluded with informal bridge. Miss Perry's marriage to Milton Johnson will take place June 17, at a house ceremony in the residence of the bride's parents.

BRIDGE AND TEA.

Miss Grace Renner has sent out cards for bridge, followed by tea, which she will give in the afternoon of Thursday, May 25.

CHILDREN'S PARTY.

Master Harlow Anderson was host at a delightful party given to his little friends last Saturday afternoon in honor of his seventh anniversary. Among those present were:

Miss Margaret Stokes, Miss Ruth Stow, Miss Vivian McGrath, Miss Lillita Lutz, Miss Dorothy Williams, Miss Dorothy Dunlap, Miss Esther Land, Master Cyril Gunk, Arthur Dexter, Dickey Heinz, Milton Mann and Harlow Anderson.

RECEPTION.

Miss Mabel Riegelman is to give an at home on Thursday afternoon of next week, when she will receive her friends, assisted by Mrs. Oscar Luning, Mrs. Harry Harris of San Francisco, Miss Ruby and Miss Sadie Riegelman, and Miss Adele Hamerslough of Trinidad, Colo. One June 8 Miss Riegelman plans to give a concert in this city and local friends are looking forward with much interest to the event.

SMART RECEPTION.

Mrs. Jean Howard Schoonmaker has asked 125 guests to the reception which she will give on May 26, when she will be assisted in receiving her guests by her mother, Mrs. John L. Howard, and a group of friends, including Mesdames Russell Selfridge, Paul Dinamore, De Lancy Lewis, Irving Lundborg, Wickham Havens, William Farley, Thomas Bishop, Charles Cooper, J. P. H. Dunn, James Moffitt, John L. Howard Jr., Harry Sherwin Howard, Donald Y. Campbell, Misses De Fremery, Crissie Taft, Florence Selby, Edith Selby, Beatrice Vrooman, Ethel Valentine and Edna McDuffie.

CARD PARTY YESTERDAY.

Miss Florence Treadwell gave a delightful card party yesterday.

WED IN TERROR, HE WAITS 17 YEARS TO BE FREED

NEW YORK.—James Harold Banks has been freed from the marriage bonds that he says were forced upon him almost at the pistol's point more than seventeen years ago. He married Miss Mabel E. Van Tassel December 16, 1893, in White Plains, N. Y.

Banks, who, in the old days of gayety was "Hal" Banks, asked Supreme Court Justice Putnam in Brooklyn to annul the marriage. Banks said he was 18 when he perforce took Miss Van Tassel to be his wife. His lawyer argued that Banks was under the age of legal consent, and his wife was 17. He saw her only once after the doubtfully happy

event, and then at a distance, when she was leaving an "L" train in Manhattan.

It was testified that the former Miss Van Tassel, who belongs to the old "Sleepy Hollow" family of that name, is now the wife of Charles B. Lewis of 1094 Boston Road, the Bronx, happily wedded, and with three children. A copy of her marriage certificate was put in evidence. It showed that when she was married to Lewis, August 31, 1907, she gave her name as Van Tassel.

After Justice Putnam had listened to much onerous testimony he said, "I have heard enough," and gave a decree of annulment.

Lightly planned card party yesterday in honor of Miss Fay Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Treadwell.

The surprise of the afternoon was the announcement of the engagement of the hostess to Milton Jeffrey Horswill, son of Fred Horswill.

Among the guests of yesterday's affair were Mesdames Roy Russell Cowles, Fred Vickery, Reed, Murray Orrick, Vottage, V. McClymonds, Theodore Wildor, Joseph Cawney, Edward De Laveago, Warren McKibben, Misses Grace Downey, Genevieve Pratt, Edith Porter, Cleo Posey, Marguerite Ogden, Bernice Bronson, Irene Farrell, Cheryl Merrill, Gertrude Gaynor, May Higgins, Elsie Mitchell, Lila Marshall, Dorothy True, Eleanor Mead, Dorothy Mead, Lita Loxee, Catherine Culver, Helen Thomas, Luette Mauvais, Ethel Johnson, Harriet Miller, Hazel Layman, Grace Layman and Ursula Langan.

POSTPONE AT HOME.

The affair which was to have been given this afternoon by Miss Theresa Harrington in honor of Miss Vivian FAVOR, a prospective June bride, has been postponed on account of the illness of the former. Miss FAVOR has been much feted since the announcement of her engagement. She was the recipient of a linen shower a day or two ago given by Miss Knudsen, and several other complimentary festivities are planned for her before her marriage.

SET DATE OF WEDDING.

The wedding of Mayor W. H. Hoy of Alameda and Mrs. Ida Phelps has been set for the evening of June 11. The Rev. Charles L. Mears of the First Congregational church will officiate, and Assemblyman Samuel Cosby will be best man. Simplicity will mark the details of the marriage, which is to take place at the home of Bert Hoy, son of the mayor. Only relatives and a few intimate friends will witness the ceremony.

MATINEE PARTY.

Miss Carmen Ghirardelli was hostess this afternoon at an Orpheum matinee party, when twenty-five of her girl friends were entertained. Miss Alma Jorgensen was the especially honored guest.

CELEBRATE SUCCESS OF SCHOOL BONDS

In celebration of the success of the bonds, a rally was held yesterday afternoon in the Manual Training and Commercial High School, where addresses were delivered by a number of the leading citizens of this city. Among the speakers were A. A. Hanniford, A. A. Denison, Irving Kahn, George W. Fricks, Prof. Bartholomew, Mrs. Eben Hancock, president of the Durant School Mothers' Club; P. M. Fisher, principal of the Manual Training and Commercial High School, and A. S. Stevart. The Boys' Glee Club of the school supplied the music. George E. Ejeite, president of the students' council, presided over the meeting.

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OAKLAND'S BOYS AND GIRLS

FREMONT PUPILS ARE HOSTS TO THEIR TEACHERS

A surprise party was given by Miss Anne Hussey and the girls of her domestic science class to the faculty of the John C. Fremont high school late yesterday.

The occasion of the party was a teachers' meeting called by Principal F. S. Rossetter.

The school assembly room, where the affair was given, was decorated in white and pink roses and ribbons. Ice cream, cake, candy, coffee and sandwiches were served.

The wives of the instructors of the school were present, as well as the faculty members.

The school sophomore-senior banquet will be given next Friday evening.

Wife Liked City

SANTA ROSA, May 20.—James H. White, a lumberman of Casadero, was granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Evaline White, on the ground of extreme cruelty. According to the testimony, the married life of the couple had been stormy. The parties to the suit are well known.

Howard Sargeant, yell leader of the Oakland High School.

Howard Sargeant, one of the students in the junior class of the Oakland High School, is a candidate to succeed himself as yell leader of the school during the next semester. He is said to be slated for re-election. The semi-annual election of officers

RACING AUTO KILLS GIRL

SEARCH FOR
CULPRITS
KEEN

Police Seeking Automobilists
Whose Speed Mania Caused
Death and Injury
Car Which Crushed Out Life
of Child Thought to Be
in San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—Attorney A. P. Black, with offices in the Mechanics' Bank building, notified police headquarters at 2:30 this afternoon that the persons responsible for the running down of two girls on the great highway last night would surrender themselves on Monday morning.

"I am not at liberty to give the names of the parties at this time," said Black, "and all I can say is that there were four men in the machine, all friends, out for a good time. They will surrender themselves to the chief of police Monday after a conference with me in this office."

SPOKANE GETS TEACHERS.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 20.—The Central Commercial Teachers' Association decided today to meet at Spokane next year.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—Every available detective in the local department is searching and the entire police force are scouring the garages for the lead-colored automobile which was responsible for the death of Jeanette Hellbuth, aged 12, of 3829 Sacramento street, and the serious injury of Elsie Fulda, of 2454 Golden Gate avenue at a late hour last night.

The city is literally being combed by these engaged in the quest for the culprits, who left their unfortunate victims lying by the side of the roadway, bleeding from multitudinous wounds, caused by the speed mania of the automobilists.

The car is the property of Denny Francis of the Thomas rental service, and the police are working on the clew. When the machine reached the garage Harry Ikata was in charge, but he knew nothing of an accident and apparently failed to question the occupants. This morning on hearing of the affair the Coliseum people communicated with the police.

QUESTION IKATA.

Ikata will be sought out and questioned and this bit of evidence will be carefully run down. Detectives Pearl, Behan, McLaughlin, McGowan and Tom Burke were sent out by Captain Wall at 8 o'clock this morning to the police machine. It is certain that the car has not left the city, as the ferry boats and the roads to the south have been carefully watched by the police under orders issued by Night Captain of Detectives Egan at midnight.

The running down of the party of amusement-seekers is one of the most flagrant cases which has been brought to the attention of the police.

Miss Fulda, who is the daughter of a wholesale butcher, with Archie Levy, her fiance, and little Jeanette Hellbuth, a cousin, had left a street car and were crossing the boulevard at the ocean beach preparatory to enjoying the cool sea breeze, so welcome on a hot night. As they were in the middle of the roadway a slate-colored car, which witnesses say was racing at a forty-mile-an-hour clip, bore down upon them. All three hesitated, dodged in one direction and another, Levy vainly endeavoring to drag the two girls to safety.

LIFE CRUSHED OUT.

Little Jeanette, frightened, disengaged herself from her companions and was struck in the head and hurled with terrific force to the ground. Miss Fulda and Levy received glancing blows, the former also striking her head and being rendered unconscious. The screams of the girls and the hoarse shouting of several horrified spectators had no effect upon the occupants of the vehicle, which disappeared as it had come, a long dark streak, but a shade lighter than the blackness of the night.

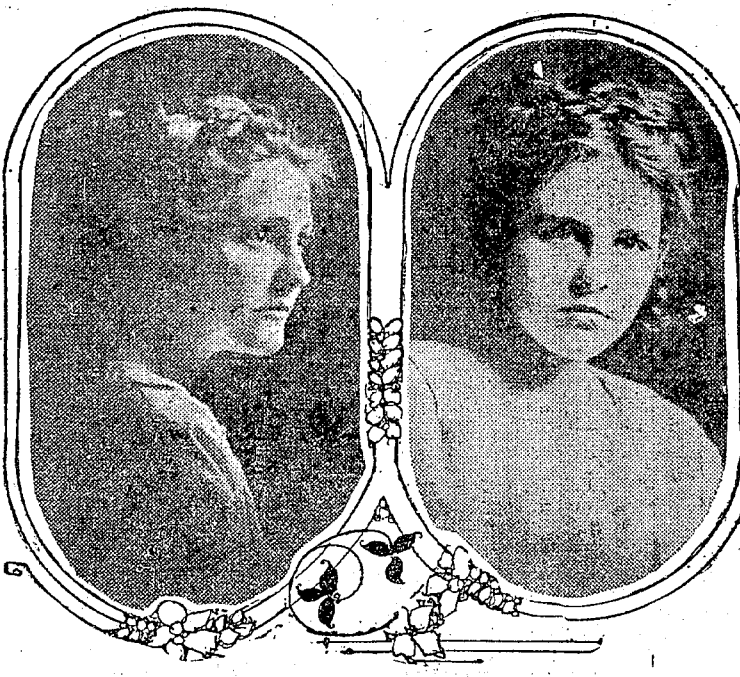
An alarm was immediately sounded, the injured girls carried to Sheehan's roadhouse, and efforts made to save their lives. Dr. J. F. Richards, who happened to be there with his machine, treated them and worked over them during a rush trip to St. Joseph's hospital which followed.

DIED IN HOSPITAL.

Jeanette Hellbuth died from a fractured skull and internal injuries almost as soon as the hospital was reached, and it was found that Miss Fulda was suffering from concussion of the brain and a lacerated wound of the scalp and bruises and abrasions of the body.

The detectives who investigated received varied descriptions of the automobile. George Wiseman, a chauffeur of 1424 Polk street, declared that the car was of lead color, a five-passenger vehicle, and apparently either a Buick or a Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Klopstock of 2415 Franklin street declared that they could discern nothing but the flash of its lights. George Uhl of 1710 Bush street told Mounted Policeman John T. Floyd that he believed the car to be a taxi.

Chief of Police Seymour has urged the detective department to herculean efforts to locate the offenders, holding that they should be severely dealt with not only for speeding, but for disregard of human life.

Pastor Warns Graduates
Against 'Society Parasite'

MISS MADELINE RITCHIE (left) and MISS MARGUERITE RITCHIE, twins, who were graduated from Snell's Seminary last evening.

BERKELEY, May 20.—Young women graduates of the exclusive Snell Seminary were warned against becoming "parasites of society" by the Rev. J. A. B. Fry, pastor of Epworth Methodist Church, in his commencement address at the school on Channing way last evening.

"The young graduate should go to increase the honor roll of those who do things, not those who are carried as parasites of society," he said.

These received diplomas from the seminary last night: Reba Llewellyn, Isabel McMillan, Marjorie Louise Morris, Madeline Atherton Ritchie, Marguerite Atherton Ritchie, Margaret Alicia Sheridan, Margaret Bixby Strong and Marion Mary Tweedie.

Following a musical program by Margaret Sheridan, pianist, Helen Paterson, violinist, and Madame Sofia N. Neustadt, soprano, the Rev. Fry spoke as follows:

GIVING FREELY.

"Freely ye have received, freely give." These words were spoken by the Teacher to His disciples. He did not mean they were to give money only, but what is far better than money—Life! The whole world exists for life. Our supreme task is to learn how to live well. The purpose of religion, education, commerce, politics, is to make life rich. Many of us are prone to think in the after years we will enjoy life. When the objects we strive for are secured and certain places are reached in our endeavors, we shall then find time for real life.

OAKLAND FINDS
FAVOR IN EAST

Early Says Many Investors
Are Coming This Way
From Big Cities.

F. J. Early, manager of the Oakland Dock and Warehouse Company, and director of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, has returned from an extended Eastern trip, on which he visited the chief cities and financial centers of the country.

Early states he was surprised to find to what extent Oakland is known. The eyes of the Eastern investors appear to be centered on two cities on the Pacific Coast. These are Oakland, Cal., and Portland, Ore.

Many large interests are looking toward the coast with a view to establishing themselves in Oakland, as one of the most advantageous points for commanding Pacific Coast business.

TIME JUMBLES UP
MATTHIAS ROMANCE

CHICAGO, May 20.—Time, the trickster, has jangled out of tune another married romance, for Lee D. Matthias and his wife have joined in a separation.

Matthias, who is the city's recently appointed associate corporation counsel, remains in bachelor quarters near the former family home at 5583 Monroe avenue. Mrs. Matthias has leased a small apartment at 1450 East Fifty-sixth street. At present their two sons, aged seven and nine, are with their mother.

"She is young and fascinating. There's nothing to tell about it," she said very simply. "Mr. Matthias and I are living apart. Is there anything very odd in that? Mr. Matthias and I are both resolved that we will do nothing to injure the boys. There's no comment called for at all."

Regarding their responsibility in leaving their unhappy victims languishing on the open road.

Francis, the chauffeur for Denny Francis, went to police headquarters this morning and declared that he knew nothing of the accident. The wind shield on his machine is broken, but he explains this by saying that he smashed it several days ago.

But as living is our largest task and our chief business we should begin now.

"The young graduate has received much. Home, state, school, church, have all given their best to make the boy and girl what a gracious Providence designed. The whole world belongs to those who appreciate it. Wealth is not the fee simple ownership of property, but the appreciation of life-values. The eye that can see has a whole earth and sky of art galleries. The ear that can hear has a universe of oratorios. Then we should find pleasure in living. Quaint old Isaac Walton said he is a good fisherman who goes for the sake of the fishing and not simply for the fish. We all have goals we strive for, but we should enjoy the journey to the end.

SERVICE IS IDEAL.

"Those who have received should give. The true ideal of a great life is service. We estimate men in the scale of history—finally, by the real service they rendered their world. The popular applause of a day may be for those who please; the ultimate record of inexorable history values men by their motives and service. The young graduate should go to increase the honor roll of those who do things, not those who are carried as parasites of society. The words of Robert Browning are here appropriate: There life is—to wake, not sleep, Rise and not rest, but press, From earth's level where blindly creep Things perfected, more or less, To the heaven's height, far and steep."

Walker Tells of Boosting Plans

WILBER WALKER, of the Merchants' Exchange, and treasurer of the Western Development League, which held a conference in Portland last Wednesday, is back and reports the gathering most successful. The object of the meeting of the directors and officers of the organization was to inaugurate plans for the establishment of a Western State exhibit train, which will tour the entire country west of the Rockies and educate the people to the resources of the West.

Walker arrived this morning, though he was due last night. His train was held up for many hours in the Siskiyou mountains by a freight wreck.

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BRITH ABRAHAM TO CONVENE TOMORROW

NEW YORK, May 20.—Independent Order B'Nai B'rith will hold its twenty-fifth annual convention here tomorrow. More than a thousand delegates from all parts of the United States will be welcomed in Tammany Hall by Governor Dix. The order now embraces 152,000 members and has spent during its lifetime more than \$5,000,000 for charitable purposes.

COX CHARGES
HAVE BEEN
QUASHED

Judge Dickson Nullifies All the Perjury Indictments as Defective.

Cincinnati Probably Exempt From Re-indictment on Same Allegations.

CINCINNATI, May 20.—Motions to quash the perjury indictments against George B. Cox, banker and Republican political leader, made by his attorneys two weeks ago, were granted by Judge William T. Dickson of the Common Pleas Court, who announced his decision in the case today.

Judge Dickson found the indictments defective in substance, this phase of the decision operating to free Cox, not only from the indictments in question, but also from re-indictment on the same set of alleged facts by a subsequent grand jury.

Cox was indicted on February 21 and his case has been before fifteen judges of the Common Pleas, Circuit and Supreme Courts of Ohio, the battle of technicalities starting when Cox charged prejudice against Judge Frank Gorman, then sitting on the criminal bench of the Court of Common Pleas. The motion to quash was originally made before Judge Gorman, but it reverted to Judge Dickson, when the latter was finally named to hear the case.

Judge Dickson holds, in substance, that in calling Cox before the grand jury in 1906 and compelling him to testify there, and then indicting him for perjury because of that testimony, there was a violation of his constitutional rights.

The indictments against Cox charged that in testifying before a grand jury in 1906 he declared that he had received none of the money paid by various banks to county treasurers as "gratuities" for the deposit of county funds in the instances, the existence of these gratuities having been brought out before the Drake investigating committee of the legislature.

The grand jury of January, 1911, however, charged that he had information that he did receive interest money from Tilden R. French and John E. Gibson while they were county treasurers; the indictment asserting that he was given \$48,500 by Gibson and \$17,500 by French.

The county prosecutor moved to take the case to the higher courts, on an allegation of error in the findings of Judge Dickson. If the upper courts should find that there was no error then Cox stands freed for all time on the charges. If the court should find there was error sufficient to invalidate the decision, Cox's case may be brought before a subsequent grand jury and he may be re-indicted.

Gift of Sultan Is
Base of Lawsuit

Presented Over 60 Years Ago to Naval Officer; Ownership Now in Dispute.

BOSTON, May 20.—A diamond-studded sword, the gift of the sultan of Zanzibar in 1844 to John Percival, of the United States frigate Constitution, is the subject of a suit of Miss Susan Minns, of Boston against Chester A. Reed, a Boston lawyer, filed in the Suffolk county superior court.

Miss Minns claims the sword by descent, and a claim of Mr. Reed claims it as a part of a series of gifts, the validity of which Miss Minns contests. Reed has the sword and insists on keeping it. Miss Minns has secured an injunction to keep him from disposing of it.

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MISS FLORENCE FERNHOFF
TELLS OF HER ENGAGEMENT

MISS FLORENCE FERNHOFF, who announced her engagement today to William D. Simonds Jr. of Piedmont, Buehler, Photo.

Miss Florence Fernhoff announced her engagement this afternoon to William D. Simonds Jr., son of Rev. William D. Simonds and Mrs. Simonds of Piedmont.

The news was told to thirty girl friends who gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fernhoff on Franklin street. Miss Fernhoff is a member of the Prelude club and prominent in musical circles, where she takes part in many activities. She is well known about the bay.

Mr. Simonds is in business in this city. The date of the wedding has not been set but will probably take place in the fall. Meanwhile the attractive bride-elect will be entertained extensively.

BURGLARY PUZZLE
IN MUSIC BLOCK

Two Crimes Reported From the Sherman & Clay Building; Boat Robbed.

Detectives have been asked to investigate two mysterious burglaries in the past three days in the Sherman & Clay building at Fourteenth and Clay streets. Last Tuesday night several desks in the building were broken open, but nothing of value was taken. Last night, according to the complaint of Miss Louise Ranney of 1215 Grove street, her desk was broken into and a solid diamond ring valued at \$75 and \$20 in gold were taken. An investigation has been ordered.

Complaint was made to the police this morning by members of the crew of the schooner "Redwood City," at the Clay-street wharf, that the vessel had been entered by raising the hatch and clothes, weapons and other belongings valued at \$10 taken.

SULLIVAN NAMED
POLICE JUDGE

San Francisco Attorney Is Appointed to Fill Judge Conlan's Office.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—Attorney John J. Sullivan, a well-known labor advocate and police court practitioner, was this morning appointed police judge by Mayor P. H. McCarthy to fill the place left vacant by Judge Charles T. Conlan, who died a week ago. Judge Sullivan will take his seat among the committing magistrates on Monday morning, with appropriate ceremony.

Sullivan was a candidate for the office and was beaten by Judge Conlan by only two votes. Sullivan was the Union Labor candidate, while Conlan was endorsed by the Republican and Democratic parties. Judge Sullivan will hold office until January, 1914.

Attorney Sullivan was sworn in as police judge at the county clerk's office shortly after he had been notified of his appointment by the Mayor.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Members of the Grand Army and kindred organizations have requested superintendents of Sunday schools to hold patriotic services in school rooms Sunday, May 28, two days preceding Memorial Day.

The purpose is to inculcate respect and reverence for the flag and recall to the young the stirring history of the war days.

SEEK ANOTHER'S
ARREST; JAILED

Wm. R. Biggs Taken Into Custody for Swinging His Fists.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—While trying to obtain the arrest of one man, William R. Biggs, of the California Taxicab Company, was himself taken into custody on a charge of battery at the hall of justice today. The complainant is J. R. Byrnes of the Blue Moon Company. The latter claims that Biggs owes him a bill which he has been unable to collect. Determining to get satisfaction, he decided to take it out in fairs. He therefore hired Biggs to drive him about this morning and when the chauffeur demanded his pay, told him that he would fix it up with the company.

Biggs protested and brought Byrnes to headquarters to get a warrant for him for defrauding an auto driver. He was denied issuance of the warrant, and deciding to take it out of Byrnes somehow, struck him with his fists. His arrest followed.

SPECIAL PATRIOTIC
SERVICE ARRANGED

An invitation has been extended to the comrades of the G. A. R., all old soldiers, members of the W. R. C., Ladies of the G. A. R. and kindred associations residing in East Oakland to attend a union service Sunday evening, May 28, at 7:45 o'clock, at the Brooklyn Presbyterian church, corner Twelfth avenue and East Fifteenth street. The principal address will be delivered by Comrade Rev. Dr. Dille of San Francisco, well known for his eloquence and patriotism. A large attendance is expected.

NEW MAN NAMED
CHIEF WHARFINGER

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—At a meeting of the harbor commissioners yesterday Henry A. Osier was appointed chief wharfinger, to succeed Thos. Hender, whose term expires June 3. Edward F. Bryant was appointed wharfinger in place of Louis Strohl and was assigned to duty as acting chief wharfinger. D. S. Hutchings was appointed purchasing agent in place of Joseph Bardellini, and the board by resolution requested State Engineer Ellery to appoint A. V. Saph as assistant state engineer in place of Ralph Barker, who is to retire.

DR. BARROWS DEPARTS.

BERKELEY, May 20.—Dr. David P. Barrows of the faculty of the University of California, who has been named to succeed Prof. Bernard Moses as head of the department of political science, left today on a vacation trip to New Orleans, Panama and Cuba.

TELLS SECRET
TO CLAIM
\$50,000

Missouri Woman Keeps Marriage Under Cover for Six Years.

Faithful to Promise Made to Dying Husband; Sues for Estate.

KANSAS CITY, May 20.—After keeping the secret of her marriage six years ago, because of a promise made to her husband, Mrs. Harry Durland, of Elmer, Mo., has laid claim to a fortune of \$50,000. In 1905 Harry Durland, of Kansas City, Kan., son of a pioneer of that place, was sent to Colorado for his health. A few months later he was joined by Vile Ward, a trained nurse, and the couple were married at Golden, Colo. Durland died suddenly two months later.

Returning to her home, the bride informed her mother-in-law of the marriage, but asked that it be kept secret, as that was the wish expressed by her husband. Mrs. Anna C. Durland, mother of Harry Durland, died last April, and it was then that the wife of young Durland decided to claim the estate.

In the meantime, the estate of Mrs. Durland, said to be worth more than \$50,000, has passed to her brother, Dr. A. Flanagan, of Waterloo, Iowa.

Mrs. Harry Durland's claim to the estate was filed in the Wyandotte county court in Kansas City, Kan.

BOTTLE OF BEER
WAS DOWNFALL

Overwhelming Thirst Results in a Trip to the Hospital.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—Today was the warmest of the season in San Francisco. Old Sol shined down with a blazing warmth which made the thirst engorged and drink dispensers popular. Incidentally, Joseph Sheehan of 428 Madison street, was anxious to quench the overwhelming thirst which pervaded his being. He refused, however, to drink alone and hailed Albert Smith of 415 Lisbon street, to accompany him.

Smith demurred, seated as he was on his wagon and Sheehan playfully attempted to stop the horses. He was thrown to the ground, run over and would have escaped uninjured but for a bottle of beer which smashed in his back pocket, the glass cutting a deep slash.

He was treated at the residence of Dr. Raymond, 4550 Mission street.

SACRAMENTO CHOSEN
PRESIDENT BY DRUGGISTS

SACRAMENTO, May 20.—George H. F. Echthardt of Sacramento was chosen president of the State Pharmaceutical Association at its session yesterday. J. A. Hughes of Bakersfield was named first vice president, Frank T. Green of San Francisco second vice president, K. B. Bowerman of San Francisco secretary. The list of new executive committee comprises Fred Taylor of Oakland, J. E. Stocker of Sacramento, Ed Baer of San Francisco, J. M. Aguirre of San Francisco, S. N. Drake of Los Angeles, J. A. Sanford of Stockton, W. S. Kimball of Bakersfield.

ONE KILLED, ONE HURT
IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH

REDLANDS, May 20.—In a collision between a motorcycle and an automobile yesterday Gerald Purvis, a chauffeur, was killed and Porter Adams, a wealthy Bostonian and winter resident of Redlands, was injured. Purvis, on the motorcycle, and Adams, in the automobile, were both traveling at a speed in excess of thirty miles an hour when they met at a street intersection. Purvis died within a few minutes after the accident. In attempting to avoid the collision Adams jammed on the brakes with such force that his car turned turtle and he was thrown under it, suffering painful injuries.

Auction Sale!

ONCE MORE HORSE SHOE BAR BRAND MARES & GELDINGS AT AUCTION TUESDAY, May 23, 11 a. m. At J. B. Hogan's Sales Yards, at 10th and Bryant Sts., San Francisco.

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that most of the sicknesses of life come from inactive bowels and from unhealthy condition of the organs of digestion. If your digestive system is not working right, your food does not nourish you—poor blood and weakness follow; if your bowels are inactive—waste matter poisons the whole system and serious sickness is sure to follow. To take promptly

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ALAMEDANS WILL CELEBRATE FOURTH

Committee of Citizens Organize to Formulate Plan for Observance.

ALAMEDA, May 20.—For the purpose of arranging for a Fourth of July celebration in this city a general committee of citizens has been organized and is now laying plans for the affair. John H. Wilkens, president of the Chamber of Commerce, is the chairman of the committee and Charles R. Smith, a member of the Alameda Improvement Club, is the secretary.

The committee is planning to hold the celebration in Lincoln Park and included in the program will be literary exercises, games, folk dancing and a fireworks display at night.

The sub-committees are as follows: Automobiles, G. H. Ward; aquatic, E. B. Thorne; baseball, John H. Walker; bullhead breakfast, Baron A. S. Barotau; concessions, H. H. Shed; dancing, G. M. Fulton; decorations, J. E. Miranda; electricity, J. B. Kahn; executive, J. H. Wilkens; finance, A. F. St. Sure; fireworks, F. J. Smith; grocers, P. M. Lennan; literary exercises, Rev. C. L. Meares; military, Summer Crosby; music, G. A. Leroux; police, Al. LaRue; publicity, W. W. Cooley; reception, W. J. Noy; races and games, W. T. Sebelie; Sunday observance, Ray. F. S. Brush; transportation, William Hammond Jr.

"OREGON SYSTEM" IS PRAISED BY WILSON

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20.—Gov. Arnold Woodrow Wilson yesterday put in one of the busiest days he has experienced since his "sawing around the country" began. He was the guest of honor at a luncheon given under the direction of the "Oregon Advocates of Better Government," and in the evening he was the special dinner guest of the University Club. Last night he spoke to 4000 people who packed the armory to listen to an address which largely was devoted to his conception of the meaning and purpose of what popularly is known as the "Oregon system."

He told his audience that he was "still obstinate and obdurate" in his opposition to the recall system as it may apply to the judiciary, and felt that the adoption of the law meant in substance that "if the decision did not suit, then change the judge instead of the law."

At the Armory Governor Wilson told his hearers that he thoroughly approved of the "Oregon system," which, he said, had "broken the back of the machine."

REPORTERS GET ON NERVES OF MORGAN

LONDON, May 20.—Attempts made to persuade J. Pierpont Morgan to discuss the listing of American securities on the French Bourse have proved ineffectual. It required ten minutes of earnest eloquence to induce a butler to take in the correspondent's card. Morgan appeared in a moment around a marble column and asked if it was not well enough understood that he never talked to correspondents about anything. "Isn't this an important development, Mr. Morgan?" asked the correspondent. "Really, you must get out. You newspaper men are always on the telephone and always calling. What's the use? I will tell you once for all that I have nothing to say."

INQUEST OVER CASE OF LYDIA FRANCES

ELMHURST, May 20.—The inquest in the case of Mrs. Lydia Frances, colored, who was found dead by the son on last Monday evening, has been set for Monday morning at 10 o'clock. From hurried examination made after finding the body, death was thought to have been due to natural causes.

Personal Mention

HARRY STRIGER is in Bleber, where he will remain several months after the Steiger ranch near that town.

DR. EARL KEFF is spending a few days in Bleber.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK ORCHETT were recent Galt visitors.

MR. AND MRS. R. J. BOYER have returned from a trip to Galt.

MAJOR AND MRS. C. L. M. BARTLETT and child have been enjoying a few days' visit in Sacramento.

CHARLES WAGGONER is visiting friends in Auburn.

CHARLES WILCOX was a recent Fresno visitor.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT MORRIS have returned from a week's visit at the latter's father, Mrs. Harvey Post, in Heidelberg.

J. E. TREWIN of this city was recently appointed commercial agent for the Southern Pacific Company, with offices at Eureka.

MISS MAYME BRAMMER is visiting her parents in Madera.

MRS. C. E. BASSETT and daughter, Miss Kathleen, are in Modesto, visiting at the home of Mrs. Bassett's sister, Mrs. W. C. Bassett, My editor of the Modesto News, and his wife.

MRS. W. MORELAND has been making a several days' visit with friends in Heidelberg, her old home.

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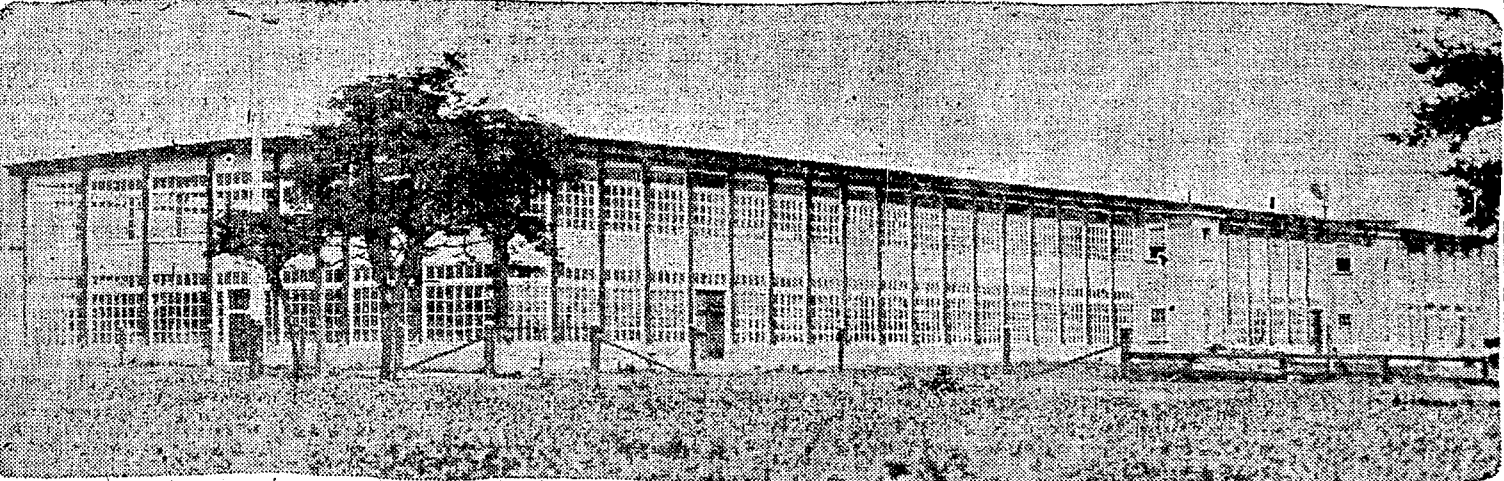
Many people dread physic. They think of castor oil, of salts and cathartics. They shrink from the after-effects—griping and weakness. So they postpone the dose until they are dizzy or bilious. Then they do the cleaning in a heroic way. That is all wrong.

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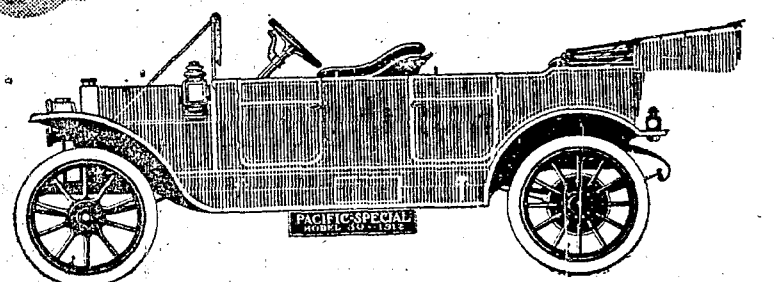


The increasing annual expenditures by Californians for automobiles has made it advisable to establish a factory that will diminish the financial drain on the State, and at the same time turn out cars equal in quality to those shipped from the East. With this end in view, several well-known business men incorporated The California Motor Car Company, and decided upon Oakland as the best location for factory site and shipping facilities.

Arrangements have been made to equip and occupy the building shown above, and to start building a model car that will be known as "Pacific Special," to be retailed at \$1750. The body of the car will be built complete at the factory, but engines, axles, wheels and all other parts will be bought from the manufacturers of the best standard makes. When assembled and completed the finished car will possess all the good qualities of imported cars.

The prices to be established will guarantee sales ahead of the full plant capacity for the first year. Plant expansion will keep pace with the demand for the product, and as the output increases the dividends to stockholders will increase.

The California Motor Car Company invites the citizens of Oakland to take an active and financial interest in the factory. The company is incorporated under the laws of California for \$250,000, divided into that many shares, at the par value of \$1 each. Most of the stock has been subscribed, but no money has been called for on subscriptions. No call will be made for cash until the subscription lists are closed, and subscribers will not risk organization expenses. It is expected that stock subscriptions will close in time to enable the company to begin the delivery of cars by September 1.



The gentlemen who organized The California Motor Car Company, and who now ask you to subscribe to its stock, invited full investigation on the part of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce. A special investigating committee was appointed and after due investigation a favorable report was made. The report is on file in the office of the secretary of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

Every new manufacturing industry added to Oakland helps to increase and maintain the general retail business. An automobile factory means a substantial increase of well-paid skilled labor, much of which must come from the East. When other lines of business or manufacture stagnate the output of the automobile factory continues just the same.

The time for closing stock subscriptions should be very short, so that the factory wheels may be started, and Oakland assume the front rank of the automobile industry on the Pacific Coast.

Subscriptions for stock will be received either at the Union Savings Bank, Oakland, the Bank of Fruitvale, or at the office of The California Motor Car Company, 207 Kohl building, San Francisco.

WHOLESALE LOT OF FURS STOLEN

Detectives at Work Trailing Men and \$2655 in Goods.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—The detective department was set busily to work this morning when a wholesale robbery of furs which occurred in the store of Lofstad & Evans, 251 Post street, was reported.

Burglars, evidently familiar with the premises, broke in during the night and making careful selection of their loot, stole furs to the value of \$2655.

The theft was discovered when the store was opened this morning, and the aid of the police immediately enlisted. All of the places where such articles could be disposed of will be watched by the officers in an effort to run down the culprits.

PROTEST GRANTING OF LANDS TO RAILROAD

RENO, Nev., May 20.—The federal government, represented by Matthew D. McNairy, chief of the field division of the United States land office, has entered a protest against the granting of patents to lands in Nevada to the Central Pacific Railroad, now the Southern Pacific, alleging that the sections involved are more valuable for mining than for agricultural purposes.

The case being heard before Commissioner Waido in this city involves the Peavine mineral district, upon which the railroad company has made a demand for a patent.

When the Central Pacific was built the government ceded to it all odd numbered sections for a distance of 20 miles on either side of the right of way, with the exception of those in the Indian reservation. All told, the aggregate tracts constitute an area greater than that of the state of Connecticut.

OFFICIALS TO GUARD FOREIGN COAL CARGO

SEWARD, Alaska, May 20.—Fearing a demonstration when the steamer, Edith arrives with foreign coal for the Alaska Northern railway company, A. H. Wheatley, representing the company, has made a demand on Deputy United States Marshal W. H. Whittlesley for protection of the cargo. Whittlesley swore in a sufficient number of men to protect the cargo. There is street talk of following the example of the Cordova coal (Ctry.)

DOYLE'S SALOON ROBBED AGAIN

Vernon Resort Held Up Twice Within Forty-eight Hours.

LOS ANGELES, May 20.—For the second time within forty-eight hours, Jack Doyle's saloon in Vernon, which adjoins the Doyle prize fight training camp, was held up last night by the same two robbers that held up the place last Wednesday night.

On that occasion they secured \$47, but in last night's job they reaped but \$27 for their efforts. As before, one robber gave the bartender carfare, but he remarked he could spare but a nickel this time because of the small haul. The robbers escaped.

CONTRACTOR IS MISSING.

DINUBA, May 20.—Dinuba's \$35,000 system of concrete sidewalks which was under construction is tied up and Gus Hrusell, the Fresno contractor, who had the contract for the work, has disappeared, leaving a large number of disappointed residents. Hrusell's wife, who is in Fresno, asserts that he has met with foul play, as when he left home in the early City last night he had nearly \$1000 on his person.

HOW WOMEN MAY ASSIST BIG FAIR

Premature Organization and Zeal May Cause Trouble, Says President Moore.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—At a meeting in the ballroom of the St. Francis hotel last night, President Charles C. Moore of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company, cautioning the feminine element of the gathering who are anxious to assist in the plans for the big fair, that they must not rush things too fast, that in a word they must "make haste, slowly," and that the organization of the Women's Panama-Pacific International Exposition association, if misdirected, would work mischief, rather than good.

"This is to be the people's exposition," said Moore, "and a woman's organization must be broad, non-sectional, above prejudices, jealousies and personal ambitions. A woman's organization is a force capable of great good, but unless this force is properly directed, it is capable of unquestionable mischief." William H. Crocker, first vice-president of the exposition company, also addressed the women.

CLOSING HOURS OF BLACKBURN CASE

Hearing of Testimony Is Concluded and Arguments to Begin Monday.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20.—The case of Daniel E. Blackburn, former supervisor of San Mateo county, which has been before Judge Cabanis for a week past, was concluded this morning. Arguments will be heard Monday. The prosecution closed last night and this morning the defense called but one witness, J. T. Sadler, who formerly drove for Blackburn, who testified that Dr. Thompson had asked him to oppose the defendant at the last election, declaring that he would be in jail before election.

Arguments in the case are expected to be extremely lengthy and it is not thought that the jury will render their verdict until Tuesday.

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NICELY furnished room, housekeeping privileges; bath, gas, phone; near 23d Key Route; reasonable. 1909 West.
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OFFICE rooms, housekeeping and sleeping rooms, with bath. 1241 Broadway; phone A 5739.
SINGLE room; bath, phone; \$2 per week; no sign. 567 17th st.

THE ATLANTIC, 9th and Franklin—Hot and cold water, steam heat; 50c day up.
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SUNNY furnished bedroom, near 23d st. Key Route. 544 25th st., bet. Grove and Telegraph.
THREE minutes to S. F. locals and cars, 5 minutes to Broadway; sunny front bay-window view; bath, phone; board if desired. 168 9th st.

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Sunny rooms, elegantly furnished, hot and cold water, close in; terms moderate. 608 14th st.
TWO sunny furnished rooms in private family; moon only; very reasonable. 543 1/2 22d st., near Telegraph av.

THE VENICE, 314 1/2 San Pablo av., near 17th—Rooms, \$2 to \$4 week; hot, cold water, gas, electricity.
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SCANDINAVIANS, if you are looking for rooms and board, call 1439 Franklin st.; phone Oakland 4604.

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185 Fifteenth street.
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THE AVONDALE, 634 28th st., near Telegraph av.—Rooms with private bath, also single rooms; excellent table; references. Phone Oakland 4589.
THE BERRI—Rooms and board; first-class. 1264 Franklin, near 15th.

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WOULD like a child to board; good care; near school. 823 20th st., near San Pablo av., Oakland.
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At The Olive
Sunny suites, \$15 month up; single, \$2.50 week; free gas. 920 Broadway.
AA—A beautiful corner sunny rooms, connecting, newly and completely furnished; housekeeping; references. 889 1/2 15th st.

AA—BRIGHT, newly furnished housekeeping rooms; reasonable; worth investigating. 615 15th st.
AT 1278 Franklin st., a suite of parlors with gas range and running water; reasonable; central location.
A NICE sunny housekeeping apartment, also single rooms. 315 San Pablo.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS
(Continued)
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SUNNY housekeeping rooms, every convenience; 2 and 3 rms. apt.; nice yard. 772 8th st.; phone A 4335.

SUNNY suites; gas range, pantry; running water; bath, laundry. 170 8th st., near Oak station.
TWO modern, sunny, connecting housekeeping rooms; running water; separate entrance; bath, phone; near S. F. locals and cars; 5 minutes to Broadway. 168 9th st.

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OAKLAND BANKERS
TO DINE TONIGHT

Second Annual Banquet to Be
Attended by Local
Chapter.

The second annual banquet of the Oakland Chapter of the American Institute of Banking will be held at the Saddle Rock cafe at 6:30 o'clock this evening. Plates will be laid for seventy-five, more than sixty having already accepted. This is twenty-five in excess of last year's dinner.

The banquet committee is composed of John J. Flynn of the Central National Bank, E. A. McCormick of the Oakland Bank of Savings and Theodore Jenkins of the Union Savings Bank.

The speakers are being arranged for by the president, Charles F. Dunsmoor, assisted by Golden A. Downing.

H. C. Capwell, president of the Security Bank and Trust Company and the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, will act as toastmaster and will speak on "Oakland." Rev. William C. Poole, who is connected with the Sheldon School of Salesmanship, has been assigned the topic, "Salesmanship in Banking." Professor P. M. Fisher, principal of the Oakland Manual Training and Commercial High School, has for his subject, "Industrial Education a Safe Investment." Frederick H. Colburn, assistant secretary of the California Bankers' Association, will talk on "Amendments to the Bank Act."

George A. Hall of the Oakland Bank of Savings, and Theodore Jenkins of the Union Savings Bank will entertain with songs, with William Rattray of the Wells-Fargo Nevada National Bank, at the piano. Milton Schwartz will present one of his ever welcome monologues.

Charles F. Dunsmoor will tell how Oakland chapter is going to win the baseball game from San Francisco chapter, which is to be held at Grove Street Park, Oakland, on May 30, at 2:30 p. m.

PYTHIANS NAME
CONVENTION CITY

Grass Valley Unanimous Choice
of the Knights at
Eureka.

EUREKA, May 20.—Grass Valley was the unanimous choice of the delegates to the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias at their session yesterday morning for the grand lodge of 1912.

In addition to settling the place of the next grand lodge it was decided to grant charters to all new lodges. Plans were also adopted whereby members of all defunct lodges can retain their membership in the order.

The grand lodge building proposition was referred to a committee of three to report at the next meeting of the grand lodge, the question being considered too important to decide without serious investigation. The grand lodge adopted a resolution favoring the establishing of a federal redwood park in Humboldt county.

Later last evening the grand lodge adjourned until next year's annual session, the date of which is to be determined later.

WOMEN HAVE BUSY DAY.

Yesterday was also the busy one for the Pythian Sisters. The committee on law was in session during the forenoon and also took up a large part of the afternoon session, answering questions and settling difficulties and intricate disputes.

Among other matters discussed for the improvement of the order was the establishment of a fund for the district deputies, although no definite arrangements were made. As it is impossible for the grand chief in her official visits to the various temples to give the proper amount of time to each, it is hoped that by the establishment of this fund the district deputies may visit the more remote temples and those more inconvenient for the grand chief to visit, thus making her work more efficient.

The per capita tax paid by each lodge to the grand temple was raised this morning to \$1 per year.

BARNUM'S DAUGHTER
IS DEAD FROM FALL

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 20.—Mrs. Caroline Thompson, daughter of the late F. T. Barnum, is dead at her home here from concussion of the brain. A week ago Mrs. Thompson slipped on the altar steps of a local church and sustained injuries which caused her death. She was 53 years old and wealthy.

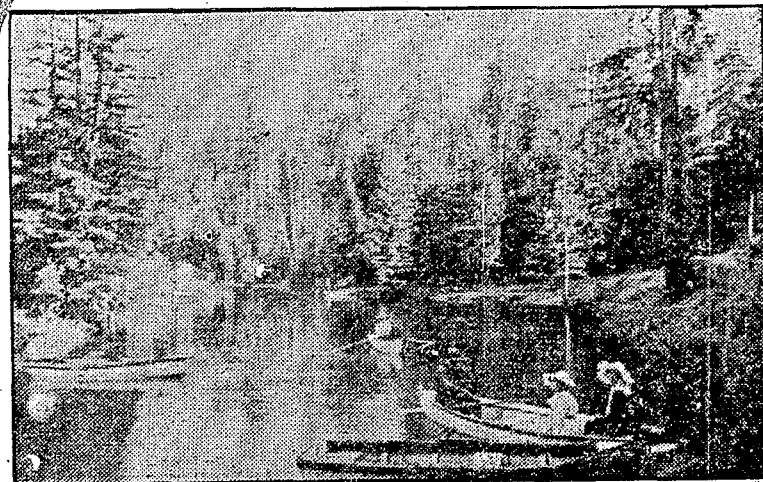
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Mothers

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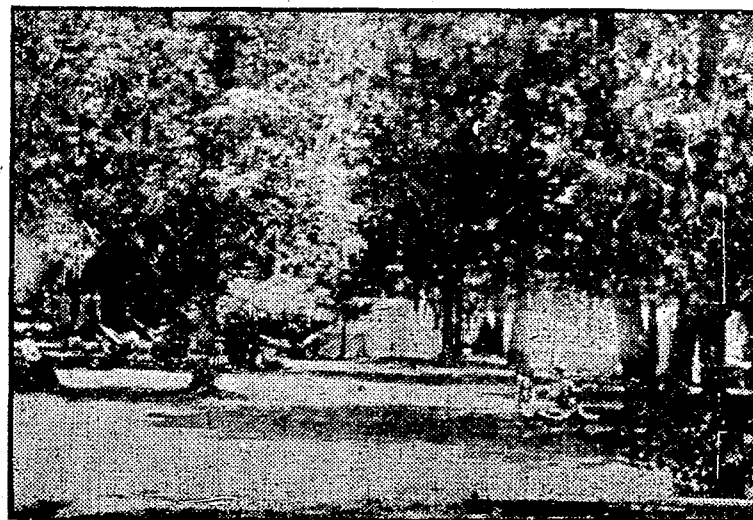
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Atchafalca stocks soon will be listed and the securities of other great railroads will gradually follow. The step has been taken in accordance with the secret report recently presented to the minister of finance by a commission of financiers of both the nations concerned.

The commission apparently found a way to "slide step" the laws and regulations which have excluded American stocks. J. Pierpont Morgan, backed by the United States government, is understood to be behind the American negotiations. It has long been the financial giant's dream to build up money relations between America and France.

France, while having plenty of ready cash, lacks suitable investments. The United States, on the other hand, although tremendously rich, lacks the ready cash with which to develop the resources and take advantage of the great opportunities of the nation.

RICHMOND YEOMEN
PLANNING MEMORIAL

RICHMOND, May 20.—At an initiation ceremony Thursday night, at which six were initiated into the order, Olive Homestead of Yeomen discussed plans for the annual memorial services to be held June 18. The services this year for the departed will be the most notable yet held by the Richmond Homestead. A special committee consisting of Mesdames A. C. Pearson, Isaac Lester and Lillian Carpenter, has been appointed to arrange a program.

VICTIMS OF FAILURE
SEEK CARNEGIE'S AID

NEW YORK, May 20.—When the depositors of the Carnegie Trust company learned that Andrew Carnegie was to sail next Wednesday for Scotland, they organized a committee to await upon him at the ship.

It will ask the ironmaster if he will come to the aid of the depositors who put their money in the Carnegie Trust company because they believed him to be behind the institution. Practically all of the committee are Scotchmen.

WILL TRY TO RAISE
RICE IN WASHINGTON

ABERDEEN, Wash., May 20.—A new enterprise soon to be started in this section by a syndicate composed largely of brewers will be the growing of large areas of rice on the swamp lands in the vicinity of Willapa harbor, Ocotea and Cohasset.

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